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PLO plans strategy As Israeli jets fly over Lebanon, the military council of the Palestine Liberation Organization draws up countermeasures to meet the Israeli threat. - Page 4 Redgrave banned

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OPEC talks set OPEC ministers are meeting in Quito

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on Thursday. Following the success of their strategy to check the falling prices, they are likely to maintain the current price freeze, experts say. - Page 12 World economy parley

Financial leaders of the major industrial powers and the Third World have been scarcely able to mask deep divisions in a week's talks on the world ecocomy. — Page 13

Cuban boxers to the fore In spite of the defeat of their idol, Teofiolo Stevensoo, the Cuban boxers demonstrate their superiority in the World Amateur Boxing Championship In Munich. The Cubans walk away with five golds, one silver and a brouze with only the Americans and the Soviets giving them a bit of a fight. - Page 15

U.S.-Greece consensus The United States and Greece reach a consensus of view on the issue of U.S. bases. However, Secretary of State Alexander Haig says no date has been fixed for a resumption of negotiations on the future of the bases. — Page 20

Britain warns

Time running on Falklands issue

LONDON, May 16 (R) - Britain's 'war cabinet' met to discuss its next moves in the South Atlantic and Defense Secretary John Nott warned that the Falklands crisis could come to a head within days.

Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher and other semor ministers discussed the U.N. peace initiative with U.N. Envoy Sir Anthony Parsons, urgently recalled two days ago after a week of negotiations with Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar.

Officials said Sir Anthony reported to the inner Cahmet on the progress of the talks. The meeting took place at Chequers, the prime minister's official country residence, and the chief of defense staff, Sir Tereace Lewin, was among the present.

Political sources said the meeting could help to shape the crucial decision on whether to order the British task force now encucling the islands to launch a full-scale invasion.

During a lunchtime break in the meeting, Note said there were still great difficulties in the way of a settlement. "Time is not on the side of negotiations," he said in a radio interview. "I don't think they can go on dragging on for very much longer. It will be necessary in my judgment, within the course of the next week, for them to come to a bead one way or another."

In another development, French Prime Minister Pierre Mauroy had private talks with Mrs. Thatcher and later urged restraint on Britain and Argentina in the conflict over the Falkland Islands.

In the United Nations, Secretary General Javier Perezde Cuellar said Sunday he expected next Tuesday and Wednesday to be decisive for his Falklands peace-making efforts after the expected return from Londoo on Monday of British Ambassador Sir Anthony

He was speaking to reporters after talking with senior United Nations officials who have been drawings plans for the possible U.N. involvement if agreement is reached between Britain and Argentina on the future of the

will be decisive days I have heard from Amhassador Parsons and he has told me of his contributions to my efforts," Perez de Cuellar said. He was unable to say what responses the British amhassador would have to hring

Meanwhile, Argentina Simday drafted its final reply to a United Nations peace initiative on the Falklands crisis as Argentine newspapers warned that a bloody hattle over the islands might be imminent.

back from London if the talks were to succ-

The so-called Malvinas groups headed by Foreign Minister Nicanor Costa Mendez met to put the last touches to Argentina's reply to Perez de Cuellar, who has been trying to arrange a South Atlantic ceasefire.

President Leopoldo Galtieri said Saturday he expected "some kind of rapprochement with Britain in the next few days, but warned that Argentina was ready to fight off any British invasion of the islands.

The Daily Clarin said Sunday the stage seemed set for "the harshest and most dramatic hattles in defeose of the archipelago." It said: "The highest military and civilian officials have warned in the last few hours their impression that there can be no peaceful solution in the South Atlantic without a prior hloodbath.

Reports said that the document being prepared by Costa Mendez and the "Malvinas group' would be presented to the ruling military junta later Sunday for approval.

Argentine Deputy Foreign Minister Enriyie Ros, who has been discussing the U.N. peace proposal with Perez de Cuellar, was expected to band Argentina's reply to the U.N. Monday, the reports added.

Details of Perez de Cuellar's peace ideas have oot been published but they are believed to hinge on a ceasefire, the withdrawal of Argentine and British forces around the Falklands and the establishment of an interim U.N. administration while negotiations on the future of the islands are beld.



SKEPTICAL: Argentine President Leopoldo Galtleri tells a Mexican television reporter Saturday that he does not expect the negotiations over the war-battered Falklands to produce a definitive settlem-

ion Council states started a new round of

consultations with other Arah countries Sun-

day in an attempt to formulate a joint Arah

announced after inconclusive talks here Satu-

rday between foreign ministers of the six

council members - Kuwait, Saudi Arahia.

Qatar, Bahrain, Oman and the United Arah

The Emir of Kuwait Sheikh Jaber Al-

Ahmad Al-Sahah, at whose initiative Satur-

day's meeting was held, sent a special envoy

to Baghdad Sunday with a message to Iraqi

The K ... vait meeting was the first Gu!f fore-

ign ministers' gathering not to issue a comm-

unique since the six states set up the council

nearly a year ago to promote security and

streamline economic cooperation. The minis-

The decision to hold the consultations was

position on the Iran-Iraq war.

President Saddam Hussein.

over joint stand on war

Baghdad minister says

Iraq 'ready to quit' Iran if fighting halts

NEW DELHI, May 16 (Agencies) — Abdul Kader Iziddin Hamoudi, special envoy of the Iraqi President Saddam Hussein, said Sunday his country was willing to withdraw from Iranian territory if Tehran agreed to a

Hamoudi, Iraq's education minister, told the United News of India during a brief halt in New Delhi on his way to Katmandu, Nepal, from Pakistan that Baghdad also was ready to open negotiations on the disputed Shatt Al-Arab waterway if Iranian forces ceased fighting.

Hamoudi's statement followed reports that Iranian forces earlier this month breached Iraqi defense lines in the oil-rich Khuzistan province to reach the Iraqi border for the first time since the two states went tu war in Sep-GCC begins new round

ters, however, agreed to meet again in Riy-

adh May 30 to decide their next move, Fore-

Prince Saud told reporters the ministers

decided to have further talks with other Arah

countries to reach a joint Arab stand on the

war before meeting again in Rivadh May 30.

He did not disclose results of the first round

of consultations, which were reviewed at

Kuwait talks. But he hoped the May 30 meet-

ing would issue a communique which would

"satisfy Arab aspirations to see this war end

Asked whether the ministers had discussed

prospects for Egypt's return to the Arab fold

following the recovery of Sinai from Israel

last month, Prince Saud said any reassessm-

ent of the political and economic sanctions

imposed by Arah countries should be made

by an Arab summit "in the context of an Arab

consensus." He said: "We hope a return by

Egypt (to the Arah fold) will lead to the cons-

olidation, rather than the division, of Arah

Sources close to the conference said the

ministers also preferred to await the results of

contacts under way to hring Egypt hack into

the Arah fold.Sultan Qaboos Bin Saeed of

Oman has been exerting efforts, having visi-

ted Egypt and Jordan, to pave the way for

Egypt's return to Arah ranks, these sources

Meanwhile, Syria and Lihya, two hard-line

states which back Iran, said Saturday night

they were against what they called attempts

to Arabize the conflict indicating they would

oppose any common Arab move on the issue.

the foreign miniters differed on ways of fac-

of the war and methods of handling them

were behind the inability of the ministers to

reach a decision." said the newspaper Al-

Anbaa. "Some viewed these dangers as imm-

inent and grave, while others opted for a del-

ayed decision, pending further contacts with

all Arah states in order to avoid exacerhating

the dangers." Al -Anbaa cautioned the Arab League that the Gulf countries were being

threatened by the Iraq-Iran war.

ing the dangers of the Iraq-Iran war.

A Kuwaiti newspaper claimed Sunday that

Differences in assessment of the dangers

in the interest of all parties."

ign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal said.

tember 1980. Iranian forces also were repotted to have launched a powerful offensive to recapture Khorramshar.

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Hamoudi voiced hope that the Iran-Iraq war would end before the start of the nonaligned natiuns' summit in Baghdad next

Meanwhile, fierce fighting was under way Sunday between Iraqi and Iranian troops in the southern and northwest sectors of the war front, according to various sources in Tehran.

The sources said Iraqi forces failed to hreak through the Iranian troops surrounding the southwestern port city uf Khorram-

The newspaper Kayhan said the Iraqi airforce hombed Iranian positions several times, but the Iranians held out. Iranian artillery kept up shelling and moriar attacks on the Iraqi positions in Khorramshar, resulting in heavy Iraqi losses the newspapers said.

In the Kut region, about 100 kms notth of Khorramshar, Iranian forces launched an uffensive causing the Iraqis "heavy material losses and many casualties," a military statement broadcast by radio Tehran said Sunday. The statement said the traqis lost five

tanks, 14 armored vehicles and much heavy weaponty." Iranian forces Sunday shot down two Iraqi helicopters and one plane, killing the pilots, the statement added. An Iraqi communique said Iraqi guns shot

down two Iranian helicopters near Shehahi, west of Ahwaz, and 928 Iranian soldiers were killed in fighting in 24 hours.

The Iraqi News Agency quoted the Iraqi high command as saying that Iraqi planes had made "a series of attacks Saturday on enemy positions" north of Khurramshar and near the River Karun.

The Iranians also lost 15 tanks, 25 armored troop transports and 13 other 'vehicles. Their arms dumps were destroyed and a number of yehicles seized intact, the agency said.

The tragis said 22 uf their men were killed. Three of their tanks were destroyed and five armored troops transpotts were damaged, it

Meanwhile, Ayarollah Khomeini said in Tehran Iran's neighbors have nothing to fear if they behave "in conformity with Islam" and do not collaborate with Baghdad.

He told propaganda officials, in a speech broadcast by Tehran Radio Sunday, that "1, the Iranian government and the Iranian people declare that if you do not collaborate with Iraqi President Saddam Hussein and if yuu behave in conformity with Islam, with us and with the peoples, the government and the Iranian people will be your brothers and support you."

Attacking "mass media libels" about the alleged dangers that Iran represented for the other states in the region, he said these were provocations by the superpowers, who would like these countries to collaborate with Saddam, but in their own interests."

If you act deviously, 'he said, "and if you." throw yourself into this trap, remember that: you are no mure powerful than Saddam."

Addressing Egypt in patricular, he warned: "I advise them not to try to aid Saddam and not to bring about the death of innocent young men." From the start, he said, "The Islamic Republic (Iran) declared that it had no designs on anyone else's territory."

U.K. again attacks airstrip, Falklands' military depots

Bengal urged to reject Communists

Sunday that its Harrier jump jets bad struck again at Port Stanley airfield in the Falkland Islands following a commando raid on an Argentine hase in west Falkland Friday night.

The Defense Ministry said the Harriers from the naval task force blockading the islands attacked Port Stanley airstrip and nearby. military installations Saturday and bad retur-

ned safely to the fleet.
In Friday's raid on Pehble Island, in the northern part of west Falkland, commandos destroyed 11 aircraft and an ammunition dump, the ministry said.

The Defense Ministry said the attack, which "took the Argentines by surpirise" and did not endanger civilians, knocked out six Pucara anti-guerrilla planes, one Skyvan traasport and four unidentified light planes. In Buenos Aires, an official statement said three Argentine planes hased on Pebble Island north of west Faikland Islands - had been -

NEW DELHI, May 16 (AFP) - Just three days before the crucial elections in Marxist-

ruled West Bengai state expected to decide

the future of the Communist movement in

India, Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's Cong-

ress (I) Party has issued its final battle cry -

cautioning millions of voters to reject the

to fulfil sectarian party interests in your

state... You should negate the policy of viole-

nce and reject them", 65-year-old Mrs

Gandhi told election meetings during two

confrontation with the center is avoided, but

the Marxists seem to be working for that", she

said, as heavily-armed special police guarded

"It is in the interests of your state that a

tours of the state last week.

"The Markists have spread terror politics

Communists.

LONDON, May 16 (R) - Britain said. damaged by fire from an "enemy surface unit," and that Argentine forces "responded." The statement didnot mention a commando raid.

The Defense Ministry statement said two British soldiers had sustained minor wounds in the raid, and that all British forces returned safely to the task force. The statement said the landing was "a limited military action," calling it "a raid and not an invasion."

The Argentine military governor of the Falklands said Saturday night sporadic British attacks were intended to harass his troops and prevent them from repairing the main airstrip which had been 'lightly damaged' by

air strikes.
In a televised interview the governor, Gen. Mario Benjamin Menendez, said it was possible that some islanders were helping the British fleet by signaling the position of Argentine military targets. But he added that the British task force also had access to photographs taken by recounaissance satellites.

However, analysts are not fully convinced

Indian newspapers for their part seemed to

have accepted what they called the "fait acc-

ompli' in West Bengal. "The Communists

are going to win, that is certain. What remains

to be seen is how impressive it will be -- the

results will have a chain reaction in other

Some 87,853 square kilometers in area.

West Bengal is one of three Indian states with

Communists in power. It has a population of

54 million, making it the country's fourth

most populous state, with a literacy rate of

44.88 percent against the national average of

The state is strategically important, boun-

ded by Sikkim and Bhutan in the horth, the

adjoining states," one newspaper said.

hy Mrs. Gandhi's rhetoric.

36.17 percent.

captains aboard HMS Plymouth.

SURRENDER: Argentine Capt. Alfredn Astiz (left), commander of the Argentine

garrison on South Georgia, signs a surrender document Saturday in front of British

Zaire opts for Jerusalem

TEL AVIV, May 16 (Agencies) — An envoy from Zaire, here to inform Israel of his government's decision to renew diplomatic ties with Israel. was quoted Sunday as saying he expected other African countries to follow Zaire's example. Zaire will set up the emha-

Zaire President Mohutu Sese Seko, who arrived Saturday night met with Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir and Defense Minister Ariel Sharon, and delivered a verbal message from Mohutu to Prime Minister Menahem Begin.

Meariv quoted Maidika as saying Zaire "expects mutual cooperation in all fields: military, economic agricultural and we do not rule out other fields." Zaire broke diplomatic tles with the Zionist state two days before the outhreak of the 1973 Mideast war. In all, 29 African states severed diplomatic connections with Israel between March 1972 and November 1973 in response to Arah request. Only South Africa and three black states -Malawi, Swaziland and Lesotho retained their ties. The tiny island of Mauritius severed ties in 1976.

Government sources said the two countries decided "in principle" to re-establish ties 18 months ago. A diplomatic representative was sent to Kinshasa, the capital of Zaire. last spring and had been working from a friendly embassy there, the sources said.

Former Foreign Minister Ahha Ehan writes in his autobiography that Mobutu announced the break in relations in a speech to the United Nations in October 1973, saying Israel had been a staunch friend of his country. hut the Arabs were kinsmen - a relationship that was higher than friendship.

Israeli officials have said that Israel's completion of its withdrawal from the Sinai peninsula April 25 set the scene for a resumption of ties since the Sinai belongs to Egypt.



ssy in occupied Jerusalem. Nimi Maidika, director of the hureau of

NATO ministers to debate detente

LUXEMBOURG, May 16 (R) - NATO foreign ministers begin their regular spring session Monday with the future of detente and the internal unity of the alliance dominating their talks.

The two-day meeting of the North Atlantic council will be briefed by British Foreign Secretary Francis Pym on the Falklands crisis and the communique is expected to denounce Argentina as . the aggressor in the dispute.

The South Atlantic crisis will not however be allowed to distract ministers from the main purpose of the session. This is to clear the ground for a strong show of unity at the NATO summit in Bonn June 10 which President Reagan will attend.

Diplomatie sources said West German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher would propose more consultations between the U.S. and its European allies at formal ministerial meetings in addition to the

twice-yearly councils.

They would be modelled on the informal consultations regularly held by European Economic Community foreign ministers which the EEC believes have achieved a more united policy among the 10 countries.

Genscher hopes that the Luxembourg meeting will announce a date for the first such NATO informal meeting, West German dip-Iomatic sources said.

West Germany will be trying at the council and in Bonn to convince the alliance to reaffirm the main conclusions of a political study made in 1967, they added.

Made by former Belgian Foreign Minister Pierre Harmel, it set the alliance the goal of establishing a more stable international relationship, hy coupling adequate defense with readiness for dialogue and cooperation with



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Royal decree approves grievance board statute

RIYADH, May 16 (SPA) — King Khaled Sunday issued a royal decree approving the statute of the Board of Grievances.

In addition to the powers vested in the Vigilance and Inquiry Panel, the decree said. the panel will inquire into cases of bribery and forgery and other crimes referred to in the royal decree No. 43 of 1955. All cases now being inquired into by the board of grievances will be referred to the vigilance and inquiry panel, including those whose inquiry has been completed but could not he submitted to judicial authorities. Inquest officials working with the board of grievances shall be

transferred to the vigilance and inquiry panel with the status and sanctions they enjoy at

present, the decree added. It also said that the authorities of the Disciplinary panel shall be reverted to the board of grievances, and all disciplinary cases will be referred to the latter. Furthermore, the budget of the disciplinary panel shall merge into the budget of the board of grievances, and all members of the judicial council, as well as officials, employees and workers, of the former shall be iransferred to the board of grievances, with the same position they enjoy at present, the decree added.

British team confers with officials

By Suresh Shah

Arab News Staff

JEDDAH, May 16 - The British mission headed by Tom King, member of parliament and minister for local government and environmental services, discussed the possibilities of training Saudi nationals and also cooperation in water technology during a two-day visit

A member of the mission told Arab News Sunday before the group left for Riyadh . ;later on that meetings with various authorities were "fruitful." Saturday, the mission met Jeddah Mayor Muhammad Saeed Farsi. They also conferred with Fahd Al-Sulaiman, director general of the Western Region water and sewage authority, on areas of cooperation in complete water technology, equipment and training.

Sulaiman also described the meeting as fru-

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itful. In a statement Saturday he said that

Sunday, the mission members met Abdul Aziz Naseef, director general for saline water conversion corporation (SWCC), and visited the Jeddah desalination plans. They also met Dr. Rumaih Mansoor Al-Rumaih, director general of the meteorological and environmental protection administration (MEPA). The team, which includes five British businessmen specialized in water sector, is on a week's visit to the Kingdom. In a separate development, nine-man delegation from the Canadian Province of Alberta will be arriving in Dhahran on Friday. Sponsored by the Canadian embassy, the Alberta mission will be meeting companies involved in the oil and gas, housing, construction and management

some committee had been set up to "consoli-date cooperation" in water and sewage

consulting sectors in the Kingdom.

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INDUSTRIES: A scene of the third national industry show, organized by Al-Harithy Exhibition and Services, was opened to the public Sunday night. National factories have taken stands at the show, to be formally dedicated Monday.

By a Staff Writer

JEDDAH, May 16 - An intensive program for defensive driving instructions, organized by Saudi Telephone's Dammam district, has achieved a 50 percent reduction in motor vehicle accidents by the department's personnel, officials estimate.

In a recent statement, Saudi Telephone said the courses, begun in November of last year, ended May 12 coinciding with the nation-wide traffic week. Graduates, 158 of them being Arabic speakers and 88 English. received a total of 3,444 training hours. Each employee taking the course received 14 hours of instruction over two days, including actual driving tests, theory, classroom feedback, a written examination and vehicle housekeeping and preventive maintenance.

Qualified instructors used throughout the program, in addition to the modern instructional aids such as advanced video-tape recording equipment ensured the courses' success.

The comprehensive driver training program, which has grown along with Saudi Tele-phone's vehicle fleet, is part of an overall

AIC session concluded

RIYADH, May 16 (SPA) - The General Assembly of the Arab Investment Company Sunday ratified the new nominations for the company's board of directors, as also the closing accounts and distribution of profits for

In its closing session, the company reviewed the board of directors' report on its achievements and activities in 1981. Meanwhile. the board, headed by Dr. Abdul Aziz Al-Dukhail, Saudi Arabia's representative, discussed a number of administrative and financial matters. It discussed the possibility of participating in two new projects in Iraq and Jordan and reviewed the progress of work in 20 projects being financed by the AIC in different parts of the Arab world.

Program reduces accidents sharply safety thrust aimed at reducing the potential for industrial and traffic accidents among employees, both on and off the job, the department said stressing importance to safety.

Dammam district Manager Abdullah Al-Abbad regards the instruction as a critical part of general training for all employees.

Abdul Rahman Al-Tuwaijri, SCECO South director general, said Sunday that the

board held a meeting Saturday under Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Zamil, its chairman. Projects approved included Bisha central power project with a 150-megawatt generating plant at a cost of SR335.7 million; a 95kilometer transmission line from Bisha to Sabt Al-Alaqa, with a strength of 132 kilo volt costing SR35.7 million; and power sup-

RIYADH, May 16 (SPA) — Electrical

projects worth more than SR531.93 million

have been approved by the board of the dire-

ctors of Southern Region's consolidated elec-

ply network in the same area, which will coo

SR46.8 million.

In addition, there is a power transmission project between Abha and Shaqiq on the Red Sea coast. It will cost SR55.7 million. A proj. ect for augmenting the Bisha power plant with three 30-megawatt turbine units at a cost of nearly SR57.8 million also has been approved. A contract for the Tihama central power project will be awarded within the next few days, Tuwaijri said.

Meanwhile, a sum of SR2.19 billion has been allocated for the company's budget for 1982/83. Last year, its hudget stood at SR2.05 billion.

Korea talks satisfactory -- Kayyal

For Southern Region

SR531m power works ok'd

SEOUL, May 16 (Agencies) — Dr. Alawi Darwish Kayyal, minister of posts, telegraph and telephones. Saturday expressed his satisfaction with the results of his talks with the Korean minister of communications and reconstruction on cooperation in telecommunications. He said that the talks were characterized by a cooperative mood.

President Shun Doo-hwan of South Korea Friday decorated Kayyai with Korean order of merit - first class. Kayval conveyed to the president the greetings of King Khaled and the Saudi people and government. The Saudi minister is visiting South Korca at the invitation of the minister of communications and reconstruction.

Meanwhile, the sixth meeting of the Saudi-Korean Joint Committee ended talks here Saturday with both sides pledging efforts to give a big boost to their cooperation in the economic, technical and agricultural fie-



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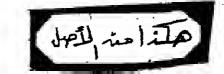
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Corporation law amended to protect the interests of small limited-income subscriinterests, suit economy bers must be taken into consideration in a

RIYADH, May 16 (SPA) - The royal in decree amending the corporation law in Saudi Arabia was essentially meant to suit the Kingdom's economic conditions, simplify procedures for the establishment of new companies and ensure a better control over such firms to safeguard partner, sharebolder and public interest, Commerce Minister Dr. Soliman A. Solaim said Saturday.

The law was promulgated by a royal decree in 1965 and amended a year later. The new amendment by the council of ministers carries the date of Nov. 16, 1981. He said that the amendments call for easing procedures for the establishment of companies that are to play a leading role in the development of national economy and attract savings from

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limited income citizens. Therefore, now only companies being granted a concession, or those running a public concern, or those in which the state or other public moral persons are partners, or which conduct banking operations need a royal decree for their establis-

All other joint stock companies are exempted from this condition. The only thing that partners have to do at present is to obtain a license from the commerce minister to be publicized in the official gazette. The only pre-requisite is an economic feasibility study proving the project's viability, provided that such study was not rejected by another goveroment authority before.

In the meantime, Solaim said, in all cases,

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way as to give them priority in equity participation when the share are floated for public subscription. The amendments comprise a clause authorizing the commerce minister to take whatever decision be deems fit, according to each case, for the small subscribers.

To give a chance for the largest possible number of national capable and experienced elements to become board members of joint stock companies and inject new blood into such boards, the new amendments by the council of ministers stipulate that no one person can be appointed in more than one board simultaneously. Moreover, to avoid that board chairmen remain too long in their position, the amendments stress that board chairmen shall be elected for only one term.

And again, to enable the largest public participation in cash share-certificates to increase paid-up capital of successful ventures and to broaden the base of investors, priority given to original shareholders has been cancelled by the amendments. This applies to companies given concession, operating a public property, subsidized by the state, partly owned by the latter or conducting banking operations.

The move was adopted upon the proposal of the commerce minister in agreement with the finance and national economy minister.

Algosaibi cites office punctuality as religious duty

RIYADH. May 16 (SPA) - Punctuality in office hours is a religious, juridical and moral duty and shows that the person is mature. Dr. Ghazi Algosaibi, minister of industry and electricity, said Saturday. He was addressing a semioar organized here by the Public Administration Institute on office hours. The two-day seminar is attended by a number of state undersecretaries and heads of administrations.

Respecting office hours is the most important indicator of administrative effectiveness, Algosaibi said, adding that there can be no administrative efficiency with laxity and no taxity with administrative efficiency. The director of the institute. Dr. Muhammad Al-Tawil, dwelt on the institute's role in providing counsel and training. He referred to various studies conducted by the institute on office hours in the civil service which he described as a national duty. The studies examined at the seminar and assessing the price of man-hours lost as a result of failare to observe office hours.

Petromin sales abroad hit \$30b in 1981, Taher says

RIYADH, May 16 (SPA) - Petromin's sales abroad totaled about \$30 billion last year and even bigger sales are expected this year, the state-owned organization's governor. Dr. Abdul Hadi Taher, was quoted as

In an interview published by Al -Madinah recently Taher described the 20-year-old organization as one of the biggest oil companies in the world. He said when two new planned refineries are built within six months, Petromin will be able to achieve selfsufficiency in refined oil within five years."

Giving a breakdown of the organization's foreign sales last year, the governor said the value of crude oil deals stood at \$25 billion, liquid gas at more than \$2 billion, natural gasotine and benzine at more than \$1 billion and other refined by-products at about \$2

"This year, Petromin's sales so far recorded the highest figures, especially as regards crude oit. Liquid gas sales also increased by about 80 percent, and foreign sales are now assuming an upward trend. he added.

Taher said in reply to a question that the Kingdom was presently 80 to 85 percent self-sufficient in meeting domestic requirements for refined oil. He added that Petromin's

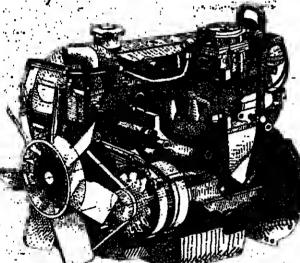
total sales will not be affected at all by the Kingdom's reduction of oil production " because we are still selling the same quantities to which we were committed toward our customers in all parts of the world. " The governor said this was true in the case of crude oil. liquid gas, natural benzine or refined produ-

Ever since its establishment, Petromin had sought, as a main aim, to ensure trained Saudis in every project undertaken. "In many projects, Saudis represent about 76 percent of the total number of employees, with most of them occupying senior posts." Taher said. He went on: "Over a period of 20 years, Petromin has succeeded in recording highfigures. Total annual sales in world markets only now stand at more than \$30 billion and this means that Petromin is considered as one of the biggest oil companies in the world." Its plan for the next five years provides for emptoying more than t0,000 Saudi nationals, he

The organization had participated in many Arab projects. He named Syria, Tunisia, Morocco and North Yemen as Petromin's "permanent customers." The organization is now cooperating with Tunisia in preparing studies to build a refinery there.

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As Israelis fly over Lebanon

PLO military council formulates strategy

BEIRUT, May 16 (Agencies) — The Palestine Liberation Organization's Supreme Military Council has adopted contingency plans to counter a potential Israeli threat to South Lebanon, as Israeli jets flew over Lebanon Sunday, the Palestinian news agency Wafa reported.

It said the plans were drafted at a meeting of the council chaired by PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat. Another statement Sunday emphasized the "legitimate" right of the PLO to "pursue the fight against Israel from all Arab frontiers and inside the occupied territories."

The statement, issued by the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine led by Georges Habache, added that the Palestinian riposte to Israeli raids on Lebanon last Sunday was a

Sudanese general sentenced to death

KHARTOUM, May 16 (AFP) — Sudanese Brig, Gen, Awadal Karim Bakkar was Sunday sentenced to death for burning to death four shopkeepers more than two years

Following two months of deliberations, the Supreme Court chaired by Judge Fuad Amin Abdul Rahman found Gen. Bakkar guilty of murdering the four by setting their shop on fire while they were inside. The general was said to have repeatedly demanded the four to quit the shop, which he owned, saying that he wanted to rebuild his house of which it was part. He was also said to be unhappy with the low rent he was receiving.

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An eyewitness told the court that Gen, Bakkai poured benzine on the counter and other paris of shop and set fire to it at the end of 1979. He has two weeks in which to appeal before the verdict is endorsed by President Jaafar Numeiri.

"warning aimed at ending raids against the Lebanese and Palestinian populations."

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Meanwhile. Abu Jihad, the military chief of Fatch, the dominant organization within the PLO, told the Lebanese weekly Monday Morning that the Palestinian resistance would not hesitate to tiposte if Israel began a battle causing the death of civilians in South Leba-

In the interview, published Sunday Abu Jihad charged that Israel was using Palestinian discontent in the occupied territories as "a pretext to break the ceasefire" in South Lehanon.

Israeli jers drew heavy Palestinian antinireraft fire Sunday when they buzzed Beirut and parts of South Lebanon a week to the day after they conducted massive bombings of commando positions.

Some of the higher-flying jets shattered the sound harrier, and the sonic booms scared many people into thinking another air raid was underway. There were no reports the Israelis dropped bombs after they made at least five sweeps over the Lebanese capital and several over the southern ports of Tyre and Sibon. The jets appeared shortly before 11 a.m. (0900 GMT) and vanished over the Mediterranean 30 minutes later.

Many Lebanese who were spending Sunday at the beaches or in the mountains cut short their holiday and headed to their homes because they feared the jets would return.

Well-placed United Nations sources in South Lebanon said they monitored 35 Israeli overflights above Lebanon Saturday. In the past, Israeli pilots have flown over Palestinian positions in the morning, monitoring where the heavier anti-aircraft fire was being sent up. They would return a few hours latet and bomb the "hot spots" to try to knock out the guns.

Many feared dead in Sidon clashes

BEIRUT, May 16 (Agencies) — Many were feared dead Sunday in fierce lighting in the SouthLebanese port of Sidon where a Nasserite Lebanese group and Palestinian militia reportedly began exchanging artillery fire and tocket attacks at dawn.

Lebanese national radio said that fire in the clashes was so heavy that it had so far been impossible to assess casualties. The barrage of shells hampered fire services and several

blazes were out of control, the radio added. Rockets and shells could still be heard at midday, while clashes were reported in the old pott.

The incidents erupted the day after an ambush north of Sidon a regular army convoy by the dissident "Army of Arab Lebanon". Two government soldiers died and 15 persons including civilians, were wounded in the

2 ministers replaced in South Yemen

ADEN, May 16 (R) — South Yemen's health minister, Abdul-Aziz Al-Dali, and Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs Abdul-Aziz Abdul-Wali lost their jobs in a minor cabinet reshuffle Saturday.

An official announcement said the country's ambassador in Moscow, Abdullah Ahmad Boukheir, had been given the health portfolio while the secretary-general of the presidential council, Abdullah Ahmad Ghanem, had been appointed minister of state for cabinet affairs. It did not say whether their predecessors had resigned or had been relieved of their jobs.

The announcement said the parliament Saturday elected Mutlaq Abdullah Hassan as secretary-general of the eight-member presidential council.

Liberian president visiting Algeria

ALGIERS, May 16 (Agencies) — Liberian President Samuel Doe arrived here Satu-

rday for a three-day visit to Algeria.

On arrival, he said his talks with President Chadli Benjedid would concentrate mainly on the problems of Western Sahara and Chad. Algeria supports the Saharawi Arab Democratic Republic (SADR1 proclaimed by the Polisario front fighting Morocco for control of Western Sahara, while Liberia has boycotted recent meetings of the Organization of African Unity which the SADR has been allowed to attend.

Doe was greeted at the airport by President Benjedid and high government officials. In a brief statement of the press, Doe said his visit would be an opportunity to "know the socio-economic reality of Algeria better and to study the possibilities of developing Algerian-Liberian bilateral relations", the agency said.

Dacca names envoy

DACCA, May 16 (AFP) — Bangladesh has appointed a 62-year old retired army general and former diplomat, Lt. Gen. Khawaja Wasiuddin. as its permanent representative at the United Nations, it was officially announced,

Gen. Wasiuddin, a furmer ambassador to France, will succeed Khawaja Muhammad Kaiser who retired a few months ago.

U.S. to offer Morocco increased military aid

WASHINGTON, May 16 (AFP) —
Promises of significant increases in military
and diplomatic support from the United
States are awaiting King Hassan of Morocco
when he arrives here Tuesday for a three-day

A State Department official, in an unattributable comment, put the situation in a nutshell: "The Moroceans need us to deal with the conflict in Western Sahara and we need a stable and pro-Western Moroceo," he said.

The Reagan administration's willingness to bolster the king's position and increase arms supply to Morocco stems from a desire to avert any destabilization of the current situation in North Africa which might affect the plan for an anti-Soviet "strategic consensus" among some Arab states.

The intended boosting of military support to Rabat from \$30 million this year to \$100 million next year is to help the king meet the growing cost of his war against the Polisario Front — which is backed by Algiers and Libya — for control of Western Sahara.

Morocco wants helicopters, radar equipment, night-vision systems and above all M-60 heavy tanks, of which 108 have already been ordered. On top of this, Washington is willing to supply defenses against Soviet-built ground-to-air SAM-6 missiles with which the Polisario is said to have been equipped since last October.

Peniagon sources said that Moroccan comhai aircraft could be supplied with elec-

tronic equipment which would disrupt the missiles' guidance systems. President Reagan's roving ambassador Gen. Vernon Walters said last Monday that the use of the SAMS was an "unacceptable escalation" of the Saharan war. The U.S. was ready to "take measures to redress the balance", he added.

The State Department stresses the official position that the U.S. has no intention of intervening directly in the conflict or of openly supporting Morocco's claims to the former Spanish colony. Instead, the administration backs the Organization of African Unity moves toward a ceasefire and a referendum on self-determination for the people of the territory.

Washington also wants a return on its investment: renewed rights to the bases at Kenitra, near Tangiers, and Sidi Yahia, near Marrakesh, which the U.S. Air Force utilized under a now-expired agreement. These bases would be useful to the American Rapid Intervention Force in ease of a Middle East crisis.

Morocco is seen as the key to the Mediterranean basin, which is in itself considered as the "strategic access" for the Middle East, a senior department of state official said recently.

In this respect, the U.S. government has also recently increased its military support for Tunisia, and has concluded agreements with a number of other countries — Egypt. Kenya, Somalia and Oman — for the use of bases in case of Soviet moves against the Gulf.

Assad, Chadli ponder Egypt boycott

DAMASCUS, May 16 (R) — Syrian President Hafez Al-Assad had talks with Algerian President Chadli Benjedid Saturday about an Arab drift toward Egypt, the official Syrian news agency Sana said.

President Assad is accompanied by Fore-

ign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam and Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Farouk Shareh.

The Swing president is on a tour to coordi-

The Syrian president is on a tour to coordinate opposition to the trend. He arrived in Algiers from Libya.

Syria, Algeria and Libya are members of the Steadfastness and Confrontation Front on an Arab grouping upposed to Egypt's Camp David peace process with Israel.

Camp David peace process with Israel.

In an airport statement, President Assad said the United States and Israel were trying

to widen Camp David and spread defeatism among Arabs.

Assad and Libyan President Muammar Qaddafi in a joint statement in Tripoli Saturday condemned Arab countries moving toward reconciliation with Egypt and an "Arabization" of the Camp David accords.

The Libyan news agency, Jana. monitored in Paris, said the two leaders had agreed on "The urgent necessity" of convening a summit meeting of the nations of the "Steadfastness Front."

At an earlier summit, the front had specifically rejected all Arab links with Egypt. Jana said that Assad and Qaddafi also spoke out against attempts to enroll Arab states on the side of Iraq against the Iranian revolution.

Samuel Lewis to succeed Nicolas Veliotis

TEL AVIV, May 16 (AFP) — U.S. Ambassador to Israel Samuel Lewis is to become undersecretary of state for Middle East affairs, replacing Nicolas Veliotis who will become ambassador to Egypt, the daily Yediot Aharonot said Sunday.

Aharonot said Sunday.

The moves would be made as part of big U.S. diplomatic shakeup in the Middle East decided by Secretary of State Alexander Haig, the paper reported from Washington. Lewis's replacement here had been chosen, it added, but the name had not yet been revealed. In Cairo, Veliotis would replace Alfred Atherton, it said.

Pact with India expected, says Pakistan official

DOHA, May 16 (R) — Pakistan's Foreign Minister Shaibzada Yuquh Khan said Saturday his country and India would eventually sign a non-aggression pact because both countries were anxious to maintain friendly relations, the official Qatar News Agency reported.

It quoted the minister as saying at the end of a Gulf tour that representatives of Pakistan and India, which have fought three wars in the last three decades, would meet shortly in Islamabad to resume talks on a proposed non-aggression pact. The two countries wish to maintain friendly relations would help bring the negotiations to a successful end, he

Khan, who visited Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates and Oatar, also said stability in the Gulf region was closely linked to stability in Pakistan.

Numeiri appoints

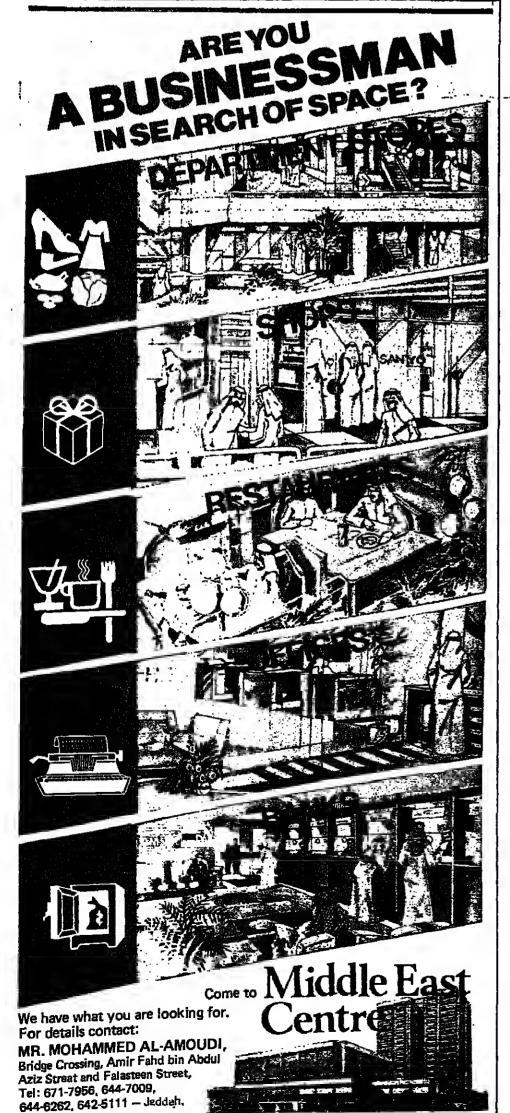
education minister

KHARTOUM, May 16 (AFP) — SudanPresident Jaffar Numeiri has named

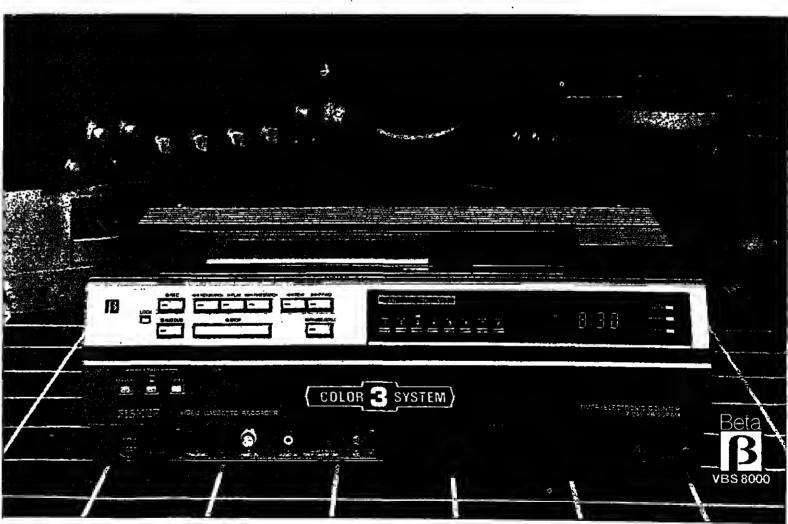
ese President Jaffar Numeiri has named Osman Sidahmad as minister of education and guidance to succeed Nazir Dfaala, who died last week.

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Gen, M. Numeiri has also promoted Minister of State for Agriculture and Irrigation
Osman Hakim to full minister. Hitherto, the
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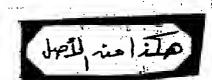
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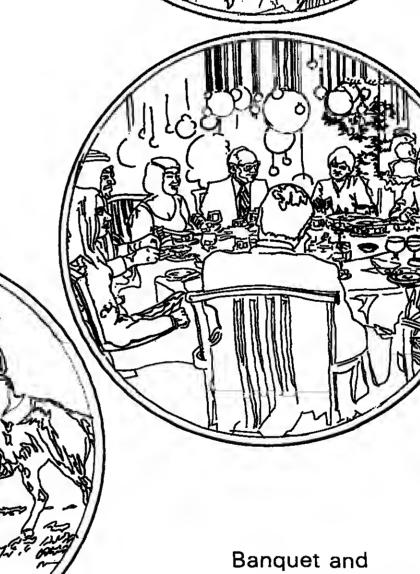
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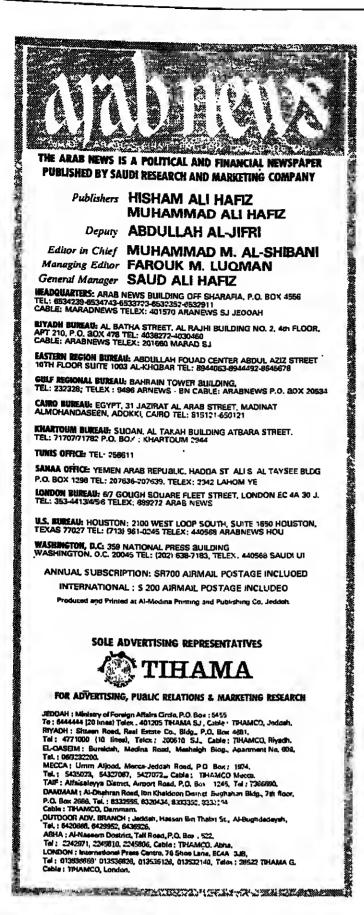
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The Americans are coming! If only as more and more envoys making the rounds of the capitals of the Middle

There is firstly special envoy Richard Fairbanks, shuttling between Cairo and Tel Aviv trying to breath some life into the moribund "Palestinian autonomy" talks between Egypt and Israel. One of the main sticking points at present is Israel's insistence that the talks are held in Jerusalem, and Egypt's utter rejection of this, as it does not recognize the annexation of the city.

Then there is Assistant State Secretary Morris Draper, who this week begins a tour of Lébanon, Syria, Jordan and Israel. His mission is understood to reflect Washington's fear that Israel is planning an assault of still unknown dimension on the Palestinians in South Lebanon, as well as concern with the continuing and widening resistance in the West Bank and Gaza and the escalating Israeli repression there.

Finally, it is reported from Washington that President Reagan's special envoy to the Middle East, Philip Habib is currently dusting his files, in preparation for a new tour of the area, concerned mainly with the coming presidential elections in Lebanon. He would then find himself one among many self-appointed midwives, from all sorts of sides and countries, all wanting to assist in this particularly difficult and dangerous birth.

One of the fears in this context is that Israel might time its attack on Lebanon with a view to scuttling the whole process, so that neither Lebanon nor the other issues in the area linked to its tragedy can move in the desired

Saudi Arabian press review

The condemnation of Zaircan as "very dangerous." The paper President Mobutu Sese Seko's decision to establish diplomatic retations with Israel and the postponement of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) foreign ministers' meeting in Kuwait were the main topics for editorial comment in Sunday's newspapers.

Al-Madinah said Zaire had taken the decision in defiance of an African resolution which had prevented African states from establishing diplomatic links with Israel, until it had pulled out from the occupied Arah territories.

The paper said the decision was not a surprise to the Arabs "since the Zionist enemy has been trying very hard to return to the African

connnent." "It seems difficult now to convince non-Muslim African states to sever their relations with Israel. since an Arab and Muslim nation namely Egypt has established diplomatic ties with the Zionist ent-

ity," the paper added. Al-Madinah accused the U.S.. European states and international Zionism of applying pressure on African states to restore their

normal relations with Israel. The paper said Zaire has strained its relations with the Arab

world by "this irresponsible and stupid action." Okaz described Zaire's decision

issues facing them. The paper said the meeting was successful in devising a common Arab strategy to face the deterior-

said Zaire's "unreasonable action

It deplored President Mohutu's

in the face of growing Israeli agg-

ression in the Middle East and

Zionist oppressive practices in the

Commenting on the postpone-ment of the GCC foreign minist-

ers' meeting, Al-Bilad said the

postponement would allow the

Gulf states more time for consult-

ations to realize what it called a

United Arab Gulf stand on the

it with development aid."

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ating situation in the Gulf region. "The meeting had also shown that Gulf states are capable of realizing a unified stand to ensure peace and security in the region."

Al-Riyadh blamed the Khome- and M. Kahil's cartoons. ini regime for its refusal to accept

"The negative response of the continued success and progress. Khomeini regime will worsen the situation and invite foreign intervention in the regional affairs," the paper said. (SPA)



Reagan's policy in El Salvador has failed

(EDITOR 'S NOTE: The writer, a Democratic rep resentative from New York, is a member of the U.S. Foreign Affairs Committee.)

By Benjamin S. Rosenthal

WASHINGTON -The Reagan administration's policy in El Salvador has failed. El Salvador's March elections have given more power to those attributed with sanchoning the murder of civilians and members of the clergy. By focusing attention on political squabbles, political "coalitions" and the balance of power between the new provisional president, Alvaro Alfredo Magana, and the Constituent Assembly, headed by Robert d'Aubuisson, the United States has lost sight of the real effect of the election; that the very forces the U.S. sought to control during the Duarte government have now received far more influence and authority than anyone ever dreamed. Congress must oppose continued military support for such a regime.

The best argument for the U.S. administration's election strategy was that Duarte and the Christian Democrats would gain the legitimacy and power to control repression by the military, abolish the death

squads, and open the political arena to dialogue with opposition groups. That strategy has now been proven bankrupt. The Christian Democrats are io an even weaker position: d'Aubuisson is president of the new Constituent Assembly: the right-wing parties that support him have excluded the Christian Democrats from all positions in the assembly leadership; and their control of this rule-making body will surely limit the power of President Mag-

The right-wing rhetoric may change - they are unlikely to be foolish enough to publicly advocate violence or reject reforms - but they will not take action to actually push reforms or to tame the repression and terror of the military or death squads like the White Warrior Union, organized by d'Aubuismself. And the U ted East-West vision of the conflict assures them they can always play the "Communist card" to get continued aid. As one d'Aubuisson supporter with close links to the military put it: "The United States has never cut off aid anywhere for very long or even entirely. Reagan will never let the Communists win here. It's just a complete bluff."

Many top-ranking military officers, however, are worried that it's not a bluff. They insisted that the

provisional president have a moderate image and that Christian Democrats be given cabinet positions. We should not, however, conclude that these officers are anxious to end repression or pursue reform, but only that they desire a veneer to beguile Congress into believing that democracy has prevailed. "Help us help you," U.S. eovoy Gen. Vernoo Walters was reported to have told the army. Ooe thing is certain: President Magana, who was "reso-minerided" by the army, will have even less power than Duarte had in ending the military-backed repression that is the major obstacle to ending armed insurgency and creating the environment for negotiations and a political settlement.

Congress must not be lulled into inaction by administration claims that military aid should continue until the new government ha The United States cannot condition its aid based upon what it hopes will happen: It should cut off military aid until the provisional government backs its pledges with acts. This was the intention of the administration's certification that the Salvadoran government had made meaningful progress toward stemming human rights abuses or in implementing promised reforms. But the administration made a

charade of the certification.

ion will be put on notice that they must convince the Salvadoran military to tame their own officers as well as the death squads, and to move toward negotiations that will open up the political process so that opposition groups will have a choice other than Will the U.S. lose its influence if it cuts off all military aid? No. The "carrot" of military aid may enable the administration to create a more moderate facade, but it has failed completely in bringing about the necessary conditions for a stable, political settlement: an end to the repression by the military

Congress must now adopt a stiffer measure: the immediate cutoff of all military aid to El Salvador,

including the military credits and the "emergency"

aid funds that President Reagan has used to avoid

congressional scrunny and approval. Such an action

would seed a clear message to the Salvadoran milit-

ary as well as the right-wing parties: until they take

actions that show they ment U.S. military aid, the

U.S. will not continue to finance their repression and terror simply because they wrap themselves in

the banner of "anti-communism." The administrat-

and paramilitary forces. Immediately cutting off all military aid will enhance U.S. influence in El Salvador. The government and military will know that the U.S. is serious when it asks for a change. They can come to the U.S. again and request that aid be reinstated. But America's position will be far stronger: they must change their ways to prove they deserve U.S. aid. It is time for Congress to use the "stick": Only if it cuts military aid will those who hold the power in El Salvador take seriously the need to create conditions for a peaceful political settlement. -- (WP)

Election outcome raises troubling doubts

By Juan M. Vasquez

SAN SALVADOR -There were sighs of relief across El Salvador recently when the Constituent Assembly finally ended

weeks of chaotic political bickering and picked a provisional president. The choice, hanker Alvaro Magana, was put forth as the favorite son of the armed forces and carried the tacit endorsement of the U.S. Embassy, where Magana is well-known. The decision eased the tension that had envelo-

ped the country over fears that the assembly would simply keep on postponing a decision until someone would have to step in and crush the fragile democratic framework that is taking form here.

The assembly had become like a expectant and overdue mother. The waiting had set nerves on edge in El Salvador's ruling family. There had been dark mutterings of a coup d'etat by the armed forces, threats of a walkout from the Washingtonsupported Christian Democrats, talk of anti-American street demonstrations by the right, and, will greatly harm its relations with from the U.S. Department of State, cries of alarm the Arabs, who have been helping over the uncontrollable course of events.

The critical impasse was the direct result of the elections of March 28. The elections were hailed as decision which it suid was taken a great victory for democracy, but the outcome raised troubling doubts. From the outset, the balloting was seen as vehicle to carry the Christian Democrats to a position of greater authority. Since early 1980, the party had provided the civilian element of the governing junta in tenuous partnership with the armed forces. An election seemed like the proper method of giving them more power vis-a-vis the armed forces, greater negotiating strength against leftist insurgents and a badly needed dose of legiti-

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macy to attract support in international political

Even if the Christian Democrats seemed too willing at times to forgive the excesses of their military partners, many thought them a cinch to win the elections. But it did not work out that way.

There were six parties on the hallot and the Christian Democrats won 40 percent of the vote. But the other five parties were as one in their determination to oust the centrist Christian Democrats. The party's foes shared a conservative philosophy as well as links with the moneyed class and the old military caste, and a distaste for such Christian Democratic innovations as land reform. They also shared 60 percent of the vote, giving them a commanding voice in forging the new government. Or so they thought.

The main faction of the rightist coalition is the Nationalist Republic Alliance of Roberto d'Aubuisson. D'Aubuisson, a former army major, served in an important intelligence post before the coup d'etat of October 1979 turned Salvadoran politics around and set the nation on a reformist course designed to avert a Marxist revolution.

After the revolt, D'Aubuisson became a sort of political bogy man. He was connected to clandestine, anti-Communist killer squads such as the outlawed White Warriors Union. On more than one occasion, he was accused of plotting new military revolts to oust the reformers. Former U.S. Ambassador Robert White hranded him a terrorist. When he occasionally surfaced, D' Aubuisson would hold "clandestine" news conferences to declare that the Christian Democrats were no better than Communists and that his old military comrades would do well to dump them at once.

The emergence of D'Aubuisson as an important figure in the new government is a sign of how far El Salvador's politics have come from the heady days of October 1979: those who were ousted then -D'Aubuisson and political allies like the National Conciliation Party, once the official party of the military and the oligarchy — are back in the saddle again. They pay lip service to the notion of reform and human rights, following the advice of friends in Washington such as aides to Sen. Jesse Helms, the Republican from North Carolina, but it would take a giant leap of faith to believe that they are truly sincere.

The irony of the electoral outcome was compounded when the armed forces stepped in to dictate the choice of a president. During the campaign, military leaders had declared that, in order to demonstrate the neutrality of the armed forces, soldiers would not be allowed to vote. In the end, the only ones who did not vote were the ones who made the

The motive behind their decision to act was the

fear of losing U.S. military assistance if the D'Aubuisson faction succeeded in naming a government that was solidly right-wing. Asked why the military was so insistent on providing a more moderate president, a military officer responded, "I can give you 55 million reasons," referring to the dollar amount of military aid delivered by the United States. "And

more to come," he added.

The officer, a lieutenant colonel whose comments reflect the thinking of the military command. said scornfully that the politicians were spending all their time indulging in a lust for power while soldiers were being sacrificed fighting the guerrillas. "Have they forgotten there's a war on in this country," he said. "Doo't they know there is a common enemy?

Another reason for squelching the right's efforts to name its own president is the prominent role of D'Aubuisson. The 38-year-old former major is seen by the coloneis and generals as an upstart junior officer. "D'Auhuisson is just a little man," the lieuteoant colonel said. "I think he's forgotten

At first, D'Aubuisson and his allies held fast against the implied threat of a coup d'etat if they did not accept Magana or someone of similar views and stature. Even the importuning of visiting congressmen who hinted of ending U.S. assistance to El Salvador could not sway him.

"D'Aubuisson's been calling everyone's bluff," said an amazed American diplomat we went to watch the assembly in action one day.

In the end, D'Aubuisson yielded to the military, but not before his party had won the lion's sbare of the political rewards. The politicians drafted a hizarre polifical blueprint that calls for having three vice presidents under Magana. The assembly, where the right is dominant, will serve as an effective check on the president's powers. D' Auhuisson himself is the president of the assembly. And the Christian Democrats? They were given the executive branch office of third vice president; the title says it all.

There are two ways to assess the situation. An optimist would feel relieved that for a change the politicians are bargaining and making deals - alb-: eit under military orders - instead of killing one another. In El Salvador, that is progress, A gloom-. ier view would see the situation as the culmination of a 30-month process in which the government of El Salvador, starting up as progressive and reformist, has moved steadily to the right until it is virtually back where it began. The United States has gone along because American diplomacy has proven either too weak or too shortsighted to guide events onto a more favorable course. With D'Aubuisson on one side and guerrillas on the other, El Salvador appears to be more polarized than ever, and that may be the ultimate irony of the elections. - (LAT)

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, May 17th, the 137th day of 1982. There are 228 days left in the year. Highlights in history on this date:

1521 - Edward Stafford, claimant to English throne, is executed for treason.

1536 — Archhishop Cranmer declares King Henry VIII's marriage to Anne Boleyn is invalid in England. 1632 - Gustavus II enters Munich and elector

John George of Saxony seizes Prague without firing a shot. 1756 - Britain declares war on France.

1803 - British orders-in-council places first emhargo on all French and Dutch ships in British ports.

1848 - Austria's Ferdinand I fices Vienna for Innsbruck. 1933 — National coalition wins 138 seats

opposition 1, in South African elections. 1939 — Sweden, Norway and Finland reject Nazi Germany's offer of nonaggression pacts, but Denmark, Estonia and Latvia accept.

1940 - Nazis occupy Brussels, Belgium, during World War II. 1946 - Mitri Antonescu, wartime premier of

Romania, is sentenced to death. 1961 — Cuba's Premier Fidel Castro offers to exchange prisoners captured in Bay of Pigs inva-

sion for U.S. heavy tractors. 1962 - U.S. officials say American troops that laoded in Thailand will play defensive role and nut

invade Communist-threatened Laos. 1970 - Norwegian explorer Thor Heyerdahl sets sail from Safi, Morocco, in papyrus boat, the Ra II, in second attempt to prove that Egyptians could have reached New World about 4,000 to

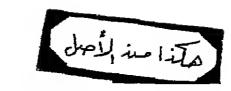
5.000 years previously. 1975 — Thailand formally expresses indignation that the United States used base in Thailand in military action to rescue merchant ship Mayague:

from Cambodians. 1981 — Pope John Paul leaves Rome hospital bed for first time since being wounded by would-

be assassin three days earlier. Thought for today:

You can do a lot with faith, but you can do nothing without it - Samuel Butler. English san rist (1835-1902).





Credibility of even Boston's symphony hurt by blacklisting

By Martin Bernheimer...

HOLLYWOOD, (LAT) - Blacklisting is hack. Joseph McCarthy lives. The First Amendment flounders. And the scene of all this horror, ironically, is progressive Boston.

Even worse, the force behind the Massachusetts transgression is not some misbegotten political zealor, not some misguided political organization, but one of America's proudest, presumably liberal arts institutions: The Boston Symphony Orcbestra.

The victim, in a limited sense, is a superb actress who happens to be a political activist with some extreme personal views: Vanessa

The greater victim, bowever, is America. If the freedom of one individual can be arbitrarily curtailed in 1982, if one person's right to work can be withheld, then we all find ourselves in grave danger. Again.

The unsavory story began a few weeks ago when the Boston Sympbony management announced the engagement of Redgrave to recite Jean Cocteau's narration for Stravinsky's Oedipus Rex. Performances were scheduled for April 15 through 17 in Boston, and April 21 and 22 at Carnegie Hall in New

No one in sopbisticated Boston could have been very surprised that the announcement drew some protests. To say that Redgrave is a controversial figure — for non-artistic reasons - is about as elementary as observing

Redgrave was controversial when she protested nuclear arms, when she functioned as an activist against American involvement in Vietnam, when she campaigned, without success, as a radical left-wing candidate for a seat in the British Parliament.

Redgrave came under the most widespread, severe, unabating criticism in 1978, however, when she participated in two documentary films in support of the Palestine Liberation Organization. Upon winning an Academy Award that year for her portrayal of a Jew persecuted by the Nazis in Julia, she called the protesters who had tried to block her entrance to the theater."Zionist hoodi-

In 1979 she aroused considerable ire for playing Fania Fenelon, the Jewish conductor of the orchestra composed of inmates at the Auschwitz concentration camp, in Arthur Miller's Playing For Time: CBS drew considerable fire for its casting in this instance.

No. Casting Redgrave for Oedipus Rex was not tantamount to casting Debbie Reynolds or Shirley Temple. But when the symphony hall phones started ringing, when unspecified threats and protests became vociferous, when

By Michael Kernan

HOLLYWOOD (WP) - The mystery of

Luise Rainer is really no mystery at all. It's

There she was, the toast of Hollywood, the

just a sad story, says the celebrated actress.

first woman in history to win the Oscar two years in a row, in 1936 for portraying Anna

Held in The Great Ziegfeld and in 1937 for ber

role as the peasant O-Lan in The Good Earth.

She had arrived just 18 months earlier from

Austria, married the great playwright Cliff-

ord Odets and was to make eight pictures in

Suddenly she quit MGM. A "contract dis-

Why? What happened? This was no mere

Rainer was asked recently abour that turb-

"I was the most unhappy girl you could

imagine," she said. "The awards meant noth-

ing because I considered the acting was just a gift. They made my life so difficult, so clamo-

rous, I had lost a baby. And I was involved in

this tragic, Strindbergian marriage. I couldn't

handle it. They kepr putting me in these fluffy

roles, all wrong, froufrou stuff. You can't do

that when you're so unhappy."

To "the cigar-eating executive of Hollywood" she was seen as "difficult to cast" after

three vastely varied parts, she said. "You would think it would be, "she can do anyth-

In the excruciatingly detailed new biogra-

phy Clifford Odets, American Playwright, by

Margaret Brenman - Gibson, Rainer marr-

iage comes through as an incredible roller

coaster of frantic love letters, recriminations,

door-slammings, separations, wild telegrams

and self-flamging remorse.

The book says a lot about the Rainer-

Odets relationship, and one stiff little footn-

nte mentions "Miss Rainer's insistence on

retaining her own wording" in the account.

She wrote of herself sometimes in the third

Listen to this version of the ceremony for

Driving back from San Francisco, they had

learned that she might win and that she was

being accused of snubbing the dinner. " It

was 6 p.m., the drive back would take a good

two hours. Odets, hiding his competitiveness

behind a mask of indifference to such vulgar

honors, suggested they skip the affair. Luise

knew she could not do that. A fierce fight

Clifford was furious, eyes rolling. I was in

ieans and sneakers. I had to ebange. I had no

time to appease Clifford... I felt upset and

miserable and he was the cause... arriving at

the Biltmore Hotel, all lit up for the great

started. Luise drove, Odets shouted...

person, sometimes in the first.

the '37 Oscar:

contract dispute. This was a young life falling

pute." Left Hollywood. Divorced Odets. Went off to France to belp bring refugee chil-

three years. She was, as they say, hot.

dren out of Spain. Rarely acted again.

apart. She was only 24 years old.

ulent time.

some symphony players circulared a peririon calling the Redgrave engagement "insensit-... provocative ... and ill-advised," rhe management experienced second thoughts

The official response from General Manager Thomas W. Morris came in a rerse press release: "It is with rejuctance that the Boston Symphony Orchestra bas decided that due to causes and circumstances beyond its reasonable control, the all-stravinsky program has been canceled." In place of Oedipus, Seiji Ozawa and company would perform the Berl-

Morris declined further comment — for legal reasons, he said. So did Nelson J. Darling, president of Boston Symphony. So did all other designated spokespersons for the orch-

It was clear rbar the decision to drop Redgrave impelled the decision to forgo Odeipus. The stage director, Peter Sellars - who originally had chosen Redgrave in consultaion with Morris and William Bernelle, the artistic administrator - would-not accept a substitute narrator. Reliable sources within the management alluded, furthermore, to threats to the safety of symphony personnel and audiences, not to mention threats to the fiscal health of the orchestra.

Performances would bave virtually coincided with an annual fund-raising radio maratbon and subscription renewal campaign.

Joseph Silverstein, concertmaster of the orchestra, told Richard Dyer of the Boston Globe that "this boils down to something more than a First Amendment issue the problem is that we have been confronted with inflammatory senoments that have created a climate in which it would be impossible to perform " the violinist apparently feels a performance under tense conditions would be far worse than no performance at all and that, hy implication, an artist's political views should preclude bis or her employment by the Boston Symphony.

Sellars, the would-be director of Oedipus, had other ideas. "The performance should have gone ahead," he told Dyer, "because the whole community should decide after bearing what the work has to say this might have been an opportunity to make an important affirmation that music has something to say to us in the directest possible way, that it finally presents the only solutions to crucial, emeial issues. It would have been extraordinarily difficult for everybody, but this could have been the finest hour in the history of the orchestra."

The Boston Symphony, incidentally, celebrated its centennial last year.

A stable environment eluded Luise Rainer,

caused her to quit MGM, leave Hollywood

evening, I could not face going In. It was raining and I was crying. We went in just as it was announced ... Clifford's face remained

grim throughout. I smiled for the countless

cameras and reporters. Here I was at dizzying

heights, admired and envied: I was as low as I

Odets, who liked to compare her to Eleon-

ora Duse and told her," you are the only true

actress," was only provoked by her dazzling

fame, she wrote in a letter to the book's aut-

hor. " He broke what he could break. Had I

not grown up with a decent sense of values

within a stable environment, I might well

have done away with myself. Years later I felt

After the divorce in 1939, Odets married

Luise Rainer lived on. She married Robert

Knittel, a London publisher, had a daughter

and now, aged 72, according to The Film

Encyclopedia, lives in Switzerland and Lon-

don. The daughter, Francesca Bowyer, has

two children, considers herself more Europ-

ean than American, makes light of her life as

a celebrity's daughter. (At 14, baking a cake,

she and her mother turned out "a brick so

hard could put it in the wall." Her mother

says, "it was marvelous, it was marvelous.")

her. In 1943 she made Hostages, her only

other American film, but she has appeared on

Broadway and in television.

Ramer (Rye-ner) chooses work that please

another actress, Frances Farmer, whose car-

eer was to end in tragedy. He died in 1963 of

deeply sorry for Marilyn Monroe.

had ever been in my life."

REUSABLE MUTURS: Not much is left to waste on the U.S. space shuttle program. Not only is the rocket itself reusable, even its motors are recovered from the sea after blastoff. The retrieved motors are seen here at Port Canaveral where they have been washed down and will be checked before their next journey.

Stealth' able to slip through radar, proponents want it to leapfrog B-1

By George C. Wilson

WASHINGTON. (WP) - The nation's "Stealth" bomber of the future is shaping up as a radically advanced "flying wing" designed to look like nothing more rhan a speck, if that, on a Russian radar screen, informer sources said.

Enthusiasts claim that the building materials of today, such as paper-thin sheets of graphite fibers, will overcome the problems that caused the flying wings of the 1940s to fail.

The modern composites can be bent and curbed to slip through radar beams rather than bounce them back to enemy gunners. they claim. Even the Stealth engine would be slipped inside this new flying wing to avoid presenting a sharp surface.

The glittering promise some lawmakers see in Stealth is prompting them to try and convince the Pentagon to leapfrog Stealth over the B-1 bomber, which President Reagan intends to build first. At least one amendment to force this course on Reagan was offered as the senate considered the Pentagon's fiscal 1983 procurement hill.

Air Force leaders want to stick to the twobomber approach, with the B-1 entering service in 1986 and Stealth in 1991. But some of them think the new pressure to cut the defense budget, together with extravagant claims She won two Oscars in a row

for Stealth, puts their prized B-1 bomber in new jeopardy.

Aside from the political challenges ahead on the Senate and House floors. B-1 advocates in the Air Force warn that lots of technical questions remain about a flying-wing Stealth before the nation grahs for that bird in the bush rather than the one in hand.

Skeptics of the flying wing argue, for example, that building a bumber without a tail to help control it invites the same stability problems that plagued the aluminum flying wings tried in the 1940s, sometimes with disastrous results.

And if Stealth does run into problems during its development, as some Air Force leaders predict, there is a fear that money to solve them will come from the B-1 account even if that less-advanced bomber is already in production. President Reagan intends to buy 100 B-1s for \$ 28 billion.

Some Air Force leaders complain privately that Northrop is jeopardizing the B-1 by making extravagant claims about what a flying-wing Stealth could do. when it could be ready and how much it would cost.

Whether that is fair criticism or not. Air Force officials were so upset about Stealth descriptions in an April 19 Business Week article on Northrop that they have launched an investigation of possible security violations, according to Pentagon sources. The Air Force, when queried by the Washington Post, refused to confirm or deny that it had begun

Business Week asserted that Northrop's game plan is to substitute Stealth for the B-1.

writing: "having profited by the B-1's birth. Northrop now clearly hopes to shoot down the Rockwell plane ... Northrop's speed in flying its Stealth is critical to this dehate. Insiders say the company aims for test flights in late 1984, vs.a March 1985, target for the

The new interest in reviving the flying wing was underscored at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Research Center at Langley when an executive there refused to allow a reporter to look at an unclassified model of a delta-winged plane in the wind tunnel because the official expected the Pentagon to cloak it in secrecy soon.

Military and commercial planes already built have demonstrated that such material as paper-thin sheets of glistening graphite can he pasted together to make wings of unprecedented strength and lightness. The Marines' AV-8B Harrier being built by McDonnell-Douglas, for example, has such wings.

Just as the advent of fiberglass enabled boat huilders to bend hulls into shapes that wood could not endure, so it is with composites available to the Stealth...

Northrop lit up the skies of military aviation in 1947 by flying its YB-49 flying wing bomber, powered by eight General Electric jet engines. GE also builds the engines for Stealth. The YB-49 set a record for jet aircrhours. The second YB-49 produced crashed on June 5, 1948, as the wing broke, killing all five crewmen. Although the Air Force continued to invest in flying wings, none was produced in quantity.

Artist sent to Falklands as observer? By Andrew Warshaw

LONDON, [API -- Linda Kitson, a little-known teacher with a horror of war, has set off on Queen Elizabeth 2 to cover the s battle of the Falklands, Miss Kitson, 37, who wears her hair "spiked," punk-siyle, and layors jerseys and baggy trousers, said she hopes her work will help stop the fighting.

A Royal College of Art lecturer, who specializes in drawing people in every day settings. Miss Kitson was named by London's Imperial War Museum as "official artist and observer" of the Falklands crisis.

Because neither Britain nor Argentina has declared war, Miss Kitson is not technically a war artist and is not commissioned by the government. Nonetheless, she will be the first person to fulfill the role of war artist since the end of World War II.

A day before boarding the QE2 with 3,000 troops from Britain's 5th infantry brigade leaving for the Falklands, Miss Kitson talked with British reporters about her assignment.
"War horrities me." she told London's
Daily Express. "I would like to think I could

hring hack drawings that would make people think we should not fight ever again. "I shall be absolutely terrified," the artist said. "I've had second, third and fourth thoughts about it, but I still want to go. I will

shovel my Itair into a hat, wear camouflage clothes and draw, draw, draw," The Imperial War Museum contains state-commissioned artists' impressions of both world wars this century, including Henry Moore's "shelter drawings" from London's subway tunnels during the Nazi

blitz and Graham Sutherland's portraits of

the 1940-45 home front. No official war arrists have been commissioned since 1946, when the Ministry of Information, which operates only during wartime and appointed all Miss Kitson's predecessors, closed,

Jonathan Chadwick, secretary of the museum, said Miss Kitson was ehosen from among a dozen candidates approached simultancously by the museum's board of trustees and that of the Fleet Air Arm Museum in southwest England.

Of the potential candidates available for the job, Chadwick, said Miss Kitson "was the most suitable. She's a prolific artist and is quick to respond to situations." Miss Kitson's initial commission with the

British task force is four weeks, during which time she will be expected to draw "at least 30 sketches," said Chadwick.

But because of communications and travel difficulties, we dan't yet know how or exactly when we'll get her back," he added. Miss Kitson, who lives in a cluttered ground flont apartment in the fashionable Lon-

don suburb of Chelsea, is the first British woman to be commissioned to cover military hostilities overseas. Previously, women war arrists were only appointed on the home front, although two were commissioned to Germany after the

Nazi surrrender in 1945. itum on sketches of everything from hallet dancers to people walking in the street. When The Times of London was threatened with closure earlier this year. Miss Kitson was asked by the newspaper to portray the reaction of its staff.

Euphoria short-lived

Indonesian rice output jumps, quality is low

JAKARTA (Depthnews) - Behind the euphoria of record-breaking production figures, Indonesian rice farmers are finding to their dismay that local cooperatives refuse to buy their produce because of low

"I delivered my gabah to three rural cooperatives which rejected rhem outright," complained a middle-aged farmer in the district of Karawang, West Java, about 75 kilometers east of Jakarta. Gabah, meaning unhusked rice, is usually

sold by the farmer to the local rural cooperative for milling. It is then bought by the Dolog, the local provincial level depot of Bulog, the national foodstock authority. Bulog has the responsibility of procuring and distributing essential scaple food, particularly milled rice, throughout the country.

Indonesia has been producing rice in suhstantially increasing amounts since 1979. That year production was 17.9 million tons. This rose to 20.2 million tons in 1980 and an estimated 22.1 million tons in 1981. The target for 1982 is 23.1 million tons.

Increased output has resulted in a substantial cur in Indonesia's rice imports. For instance, imports fell from 2.6 million tons in 1979 to 500,000 tons in 1981. That's the good news. But the bad news is that not all the rice yield was up to standard. " What we're pursuing is increased prod-

uction with better quality. What we have just been able to do so far is to boost production, but the quality declined, "Bulog chief Bustanil Arifin admitted. The government since 1979, the start of

the Third Five-Year Plan, has emphasized increased rice production by encouraging farmers 10 use hybrid seeds resistant 10 pests like wereng, the brown plant hopper. The hybrids, particularly the IR 36 variety, became popular among farmers. IR 36,

for instance, is not only high-yielding but it matures in only 125 days. More important perhaps, the cooked 1R 36 variety rice has obtained the approval of farmers. But it has one drawback as gleaned from the experience of farmers in Karawang.

who planted the variety on 108,000 hectares. Although it produces a great amount of kernels, their ripening is uneven. Because top kernels get the most sunlight, they ripen more quickly. On the other hand, the kernels at the base get less sunlight and ripen As ripe IR 36 kernels tend to fall readily,

the farmer cannot wait for the entire stalk to ripen completely. The result is the white and chalky grains when they are milled. Bulog depots usually balk at rice deliver-

ies whose chalky content exceeds 5 percent. And for a reason. Depots can only huy rice that can be stored for a minimum of three months or a year at the most.

This year's hig harvest last March revealed that the output exceeded the Bulog allowable maximum of 5 percent. In Karawang, the average gabah yield contained more than 10 percent of chalky grains. In some villages, it was as much as 22 percent.

However, in refusing to buy low quality rice, the Dologs' rice purchasing scheme fell below target. The Karawang depot up to mid-March only bought 290 tons of tice against the target of 9,400 tons. Moreover, it did not huy any gabah although the target set was 20,300 tons.

The farmers are not too happy with the situation, seeing his unsold paddy piled high in their yard waiting for buyers. In fact, one farmer says he now misses the middleman. It doesn't matter who buys the rice as long as the gabah can be sold at a price that's not to low," he said.

The ubiquitous middlemen have left with the emergence of the rural cooperatives as the sole purchasing agent. To ease the farmers' plight, the Bulog instructed its depots nationwide to huy gabah with a chalky content tolerance level of up to 10 percent, effective April 3.

Bulog, up to the end of March, has bought gabah totaling 96,000 tons. Still, this represents a substantial decline from t56,000 ions it bought for the same period in 1981, "The amount dropped this year hecause of the quality problem," Bulog chief Bustanil said.

At the same time, the government has promised to increase its extension efforts to help farmers produce better quality rice. Agriculture Minister Sudarsono Hadisapoetro said one way to minimize the amount of chalky grains within the tolerable revel is to shorten the ripening time on the rice stem. He told reporters this is technically possible and farmers will be shown how. Minister Sudarsono's word will be put to the test in next year's rice harvest.



REUNION: Paul Simon and Art Garfunkel. the famous duo of the 60s and 70s are shown here discussing their planned reunion concert' which will take place June 19 at Wemb-

" I've always worked sporadically." she said. "I'm not a career girl. What I do. I like to do well."

At 16, the spirited daughter of a well-todo, stuffly correct German family, she talked her way into the theater school of classic actress Luise Dumont in Dusseldorf. Dumont made the girl her leading lady for three years doing Ibsen, O'Neill, Pirandello and Shakespeare. Then the fabled Max Reinhardt broughr her to Vienna for four sensational years of stardom. Three times she turned down movie offers, thinking that film was only for the Garbos of the world. She always insisted and still does - that she was not beautiful. Finally, just after her fiance had been killed in a plane crash, she let herself be talking into making Escapade in Hollywood.

They called her the new Garbo. Set electricians cried on the catwalks when she played Anna Held. Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek, seeing her as O-Lan, refused to believe she wasn't

" It's illusion, " Luise Rainer said." Illusion is evrything. Doing Anna Held, I was just a kid, I'd never heard of her. But people said I was Anna to the life. " She shrugged pleasan-

Acting, she said, doesn't mean putting something on ("you should be able to do a role in a nightgown") but hringing out a feeling that is identical with the audience's. You're in love with your wife ... you know how she feels. You can pur yourself in her place, become her. "

Film work is so hard, all the stop and start, it's bard to keep an emotion. When O-Lan has to give back her pearls she must cry, but inside. We did the scene again and again and I couldn't let myself go. After ir was over I went outside and ducked around the corner and cried and cried. Joan Crawford came by in her limousine and jumped out and out her arms around me and said what was the matter, and I had to say I fell, I hurt my kness. Because I was ashamed to say whar I

An actress. One of her more acid rivals in Hollywood is quoted: "Luise is one of those actresses who are acting all the time."

A photographer came to get her picture. He wanted to place her by the window in the sunlight, softly screened by a curtain. She would have none of that. One sensed a love of argument, of dispute, of the dramatic clinching statement. "The camera is cruel. Don't catch me when I'm talking. It makes my mouth all wrong." The clincher. He took the pictures where she sat.

Asked if she still went mountain-climbed

in the Dolomites, she flared instantly. "What do you mean," still?" she and her husband of 37 years love to climb, love the nearness to the sky, the talk of trails and huts with strangers, the concentration on each step, each rock, each fingerhold.



evident from these loads, but at the same time the amount of usable product has dropped

Pirate copy surfaced

'Suppressed' smoking film screened

By Christopher Reed

SAN FRANCISCO - An American television station has screened a pirate copy of an ITV anti-smoking documentary which the makers of the world's top-selling cigarettes had tried to suppress forever.

In 1969, Philip Morris won an out-of-court 'perpetual injunction" against Thames Television which should have prevented any future screening anywhere in the world of the half-hour film, Death in the West.

Shown only once in London in 1976, it was an unprecedented indictment of the American tobacco company's advertising of the leading cigarette brand internationally, Marlboro. The TV commercials showed them as they still do now — model-agency cowboys smoking Marlboro cigarettes against appropriate Western scenery.

The suggestion made in 1976 by Thames TV's director Martin Smith and reporter Peter Taylor was that tobacco firms ignored scientific evidence of smoking's health dangers by implying in advertisements that cowboys living outdoors thrived on smoking. In fact, the six real cowboys interviewd in "Mar-Iboro Country" by Thames were suffering illnesses from smoking. One hreathed oxygen from bottles strapped on his saddle. Since the

Dear Dr. Steincrohn ; You had a column in our paper about waiting

too long to have the gallbladder removed — and that sometimes

I had my gallbadder removed because I had small gallstones. Now,

I've been taking antacids and other medicines. I've been watching

My doctor says it's due to nerves. I know it isn't nerves. I get an

my diet, staying away from fried and greasy foods, but still suffer.

in jection for the pains every once in a while, and it takes hours before I

Do you have any idea what my problem is? Where can I go to get

Dear Mrs. R.: With a history of small stones in your gallbadder and

indigestion, don't feel bad about having had your cholecystectomy. If

you hadn't had it, you might have had some complications (stone

stuck in a duct, etc.,) that might have been worse than your present

I suggest you ask to see a gastroenterologist. The stomach special-

ist will look around for what might be causing your discomfort. Your

case bistory indicates that not all patients feel better after gallblad-

Do you have a diaphragmatic hernia (an opening into the diap-

Do you have diverticulosis, which is also often present in patients

Do you have some irritation in your intestines — upper or lower?

If your stomach specialist doesn't find any trouble in the areas I've

Are you sure you don't have a duodenal or gastric ulcer?

der surgey. But, the trouble may be elsewhere, too.

Make certain that no stones are left in the ducts.

hragm with part of your stomach slipping through it)?

who have galiblodder disease?

Is your trouble due to hyperacidity?

patients continued to have symptoms afterwards.

two years later. I still get awful pains after I eat.

IMPROVEMENT

AFTER GALLBLADDER

SURGERY

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six were filmed, only one cowboy survives. Philip Morris won an injunction in 1976 from the Lord Chancellor of Britain against any further screening. Three years later the tobacco company enforced a settlement on Thames TV which meant that the film, sound recording, video tapes, what had been left on the cutting room floor, and any other material, whether or not it had appeared on screen had to be surrendered to Philip Morris. All Thames employes "or their servants" were

prohibited from making copies. Philip Morris was counting on the fact they had all the copies," said Michael Ferr-ing, news director of the San Francisco NBC station, which showed the documentary for the first time in six years. "well. I guess they were wrong,"

The Thames film has become an accident, a media item passed around as underground documentation criticizing "the system."

When Kron-TV showed the Thames film it was presented almust as defiance of Britain. A network announcer said: "we know this Thames film was never supposed to be shown in America or anywhere else. But we don't feel we are included in any London court settlement. We feel this is important journal-

ism in the public interests. We are sorry it cannot t shown in Britain anymore.

"That is a shame and we realize that an American tobacco company stopped it for you. But we believe our protection of freedom of information rises above your London court settlement."

Kron-TV lawyers were relying on the dictum of "fair use" in an attitude enshrined in the American constitution. This requirement allows discussion defined as analysis, criticism, explanation, or public debate to override requirements of copy-right - the reason Philip Morris sued Thames TV over the use of tobacco company's advertising material on the screen.

Dr. Stanton Glantz, associate professor of medicine at the University of California, and the man who gave the pirate copy of the film to the TV network, said: "the suppression of the Thames program for six years was outrageous. As big advertisers, Philip Morris used their economic clout to crush news which was in the public interest. And this is the industry spending \$6 million advertising a campaign on smoking and bealth with the slogan 'get both sides before you take sides.' In the Thames cast they lost control so they eliminated the other side, and then kept the suppression

By Peter J. STOP KILLING YOURSELF Steincrohn

M.D., F.A.C.P. mentioned, then it's possible that your nerves are indeed the reason for your symptoms. Proper diel and tranquilizers should bring about

improvement. But, I repeat: don't be sorry you had your gallbladder out. A diseased gallbladder is better out than in.

> **MEDICALETTES** (Replies to and from readers)

Dear Dr. Steincrohn: My husband is 54 years old and has been on medication for high blood pressure. He has taken it for about a year.

He has become impotent since the time he began to use it. Is it possible there may be some connection between his medicine and his impotence? He enjoys his job and doesn't appear distressed or warried at all. - Mrs. E.

Dear Mrs. E.: It's possible. In some cases, such medication has eaused impotence. Have him talk it over with his doctor. Change of medication may take care of the problem.

For, Mrs. A.: The Food and Drug Administration has approved the first vaccine against hepatitis for use in the United States. It is administered in three doses over six months. It offers a five-year immunity to Hepatitis B.

This disease, once called serum or post-transfusion hepatitis. strikes from 200-300,000 Americans annually. It causes jaundice, nausea, fatigue and liver damage in 56,000 people. Ten thousand get sick enough for hospitalization and 100-200 are fatal,

The vaccine is over 95 percent effective. Unfortunately, though, it will not be available for general use until the middle of 1982.

Tomorrow: A new procedure to visualize leg arreries ...

Strong link claimed with aspirin, syndrome medical evidence. "The reason it has taken not decided whether to take action six

By Cristine Russell

WASHINGTON, (WP) - A Ralph Nader-founded health group has charged that children continue to be "killed and injured" because of Ford and Lrug Administration delays in warning parents about a "strong link" between aspirin use and

Reve Syndrome. Dr. Sidney Wolfe of the Health Research Group questioned the FDA's "lack of urgency" in responding to a series uf government-sponsored studies showing that children with chicken pox or flu-like illnesses who are treated with aspirin appear to have an increased risk of contracting the lifethreatening disease.

The group his petitioned the FDA to require that aspirin products be accompanied by warning labels and patient information, as ell as prominently displayed signs in stores selling these products.

An FDA spokesman said that a task force there was at work on a review of the available

the time that it has is that there is a considerable amount of data to be reviewed, but the review is being conducted expeditiously."

He said the review would be completed within a few weeks, adding that "once we complete the review, then we will determine whether any regulatory action is necessary."

Reve Syndrome is a mysterious ailment that sometimes follows viral illnesses, striking quickly, with vomiting and fever, and progressing to convulsions, coma and death in about 20 to 30 percent of the cases.

Wolfe sent a letter to Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., chairman of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, urging a congressional investigation of the matter.

Dingell issued a statement expressing concern about the lack of action, saving the "public has a right to expect that public health problems will be handled with a speed

that is responsive to the hazard." He called it "intolerable" that the FDA has months after a Center for Disease Cuntrol advisory panel recommended that use of the drug should be avoided when possible for

children with chicken pox or presumed cases That recommendation was not made public until Fehruary, when the CDC issued a more cautious warning, which stopped short of endorsing the advisory panel recommen-

physicians uf the "possible increased risk." left further regulatory action to the FDA Wolfe charged that the FDA had failed to act because of pressure from the aspirin industry. But the FDA spokesman said that all decisiuns had been made independently

dation. The CDC simply advised parents and

and "not on the basis of industry pressure." Aspirin manufacturers have called the reported link between the commonly used drug and Reye Syndrome "misleading and unjustified," saying it is a "safe and highly effective medication for the reduction of fever in children."

New horizons in nuclear physics

masses Scientists detect neutron

By George Alexander

LOS ANGELES (LAT) - One of the more provocative suggestions to surface in the field of physics in recent years — the tentative finding in 1980 that the tiny elementary particles known as "neutrinos" might actually have a small mass - has now been contradicted by a comprehensive experiment carried out by an international team of California Institute of Technology and European physicists.

Their finding is important because neutrinos with even the smallest, tiniest bit of fluff as solid matter would make an appreciable difference to understanding of nature. Such particles would, for example, account for the so-called "missing mass" in galaxies, the mass that would explain why galaxies swing so much more ponderously through the sky than their visible light suggests they should.

In other words, if every galaxy has a "halo" of invisible, but substantives neutrinos, this would make the galaxy heavier and explain its elephantine movement.

More massive galaxies, in turn, could well mean a "closed" universe - one that has enough matter in it to someday slow its present head-long expansion and perhaps begin to retract. Indeed, all the galaxies might fall back inward upon each other in a spectacular imposition, or inward blast, which could either snuff out the universe or start a new cycle of expansion.

But massless neutrinos, which is the way most physicists have regarded these tiny particles, would not change things in the stightest.

The universe would thus remain "open" and continue to expand forever, even as every last star eventually flickers out and becomes a starry cinder.

The Caltech-European team could find no hint of mass within the range where several other American, European and Soviet scientists, during experiments two years ago, thought they had detected some.

The latest experiment was done at a 2,800-megawatt (one megawatt is 1 million watts) nuclear reactor -- always an excellent source of nuetrinos — at Gorgen, Switzerland, by physicists from calteel, the technical university of Munich in West Germany and the Swiss Institute of Nuclear Research.

The team set up a sensitive neutrino detector 121 feet from the reactor core, inside a specially constructed 1,000-ton concrete bunker. As neutrinos from fissioning uranium atoms in the reactor shot through the detector, an occasional particle crashed into a proton and gave rise to two new particles, a neutron and a possitron (a positively charged electron).

The detector was a sandwiched array of two kinds of sensors, the first designed to produce a flash of light whenever a positron interacted with the chemicals in the sensor, and the second to yield an etectrical spike wbenever a neutron hanged into helium atoms within the sensor.

Neutrinos from the reactor, as distinguished from those streaking randomly through space and passing through the detector, gave a characteristic "one-two" signal in the two kinds of sensors. These signals in turn were... - recorded by a computer.

The team, which included Caltech physics Prof. Felix Boehm, was looking for the electron neutrino, one of three types of neutrinos known to science. (The other types are the muon neutrino and the tau neutrino).

Specifically, the researchers were looking to see whether the detector caught as many electron neutrinos as theory would indicate, To have seen more, or fewer, would have meant that the electron neutrinos were changing, or oscillating, into other neutrino types during the brief, 121-foot-long flight fmm reactor to detector - and that could happen only if these elementary particles have mass,

But the actual measurements came so close 10 matching the predicted value of three neutrino interactions per hour, Boehm said, that 'we didn't see any evidence for oscillations in the range that we investigated."

That range - population distribution uf neutrinos, according to the particles' individual energies - overlapped the same range where, two years ago, a team of University of California, Irvine, physicists believed they had found indications of oscillating neutri-

The experiment does not give the lie to the suggestions made by the UC Irvine team, but it does impose very stringent boundaries on the nature of neutrino ascillations.

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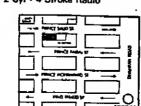
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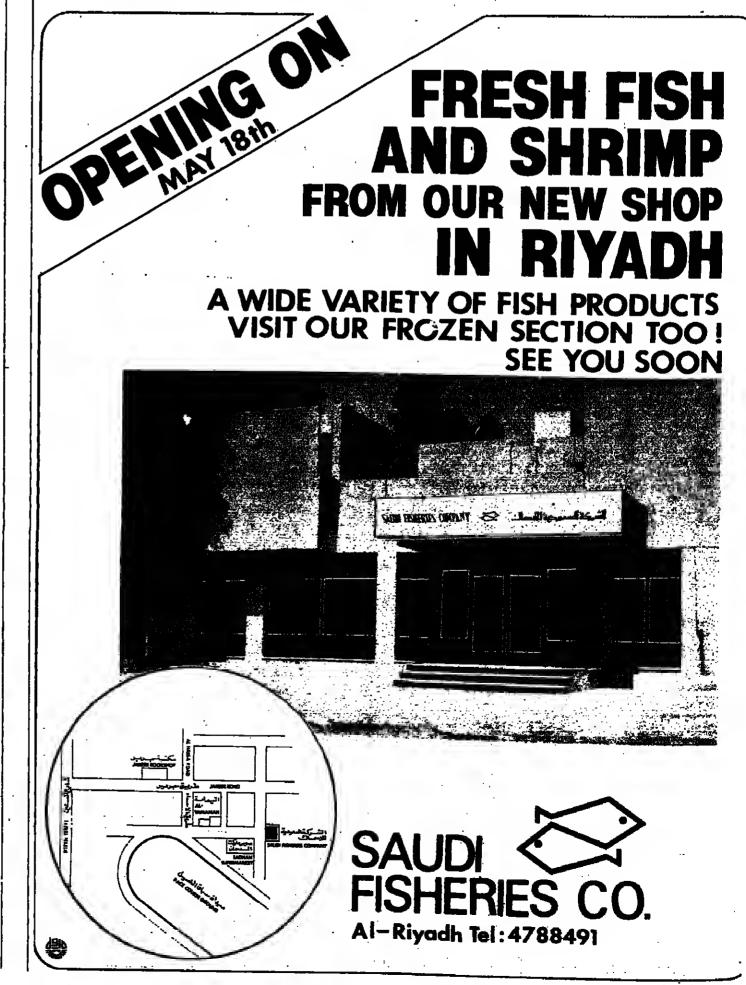
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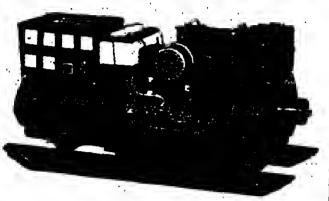
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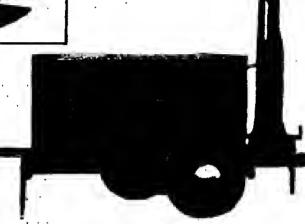
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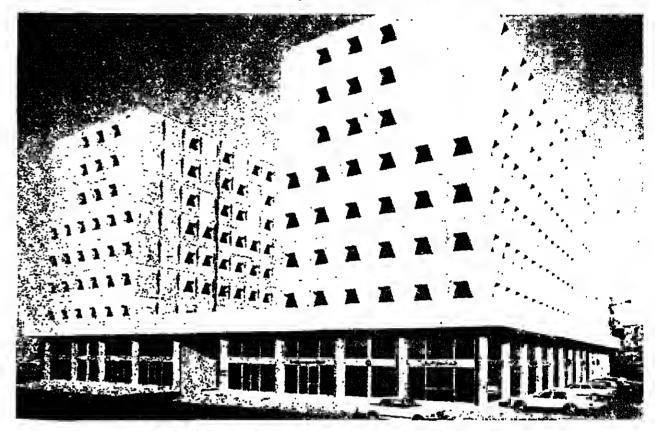
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Rights for race groups

Botha backs change in whites-only rule

for ourselves." Botha said.

broad political from.

The government's senior advisory body.

the President's Council, last week recomme-

nded that South Africa's 3.4 million coloreds

and Asians be granted equal political status

to be represented in parliament and, on a

proportional basis, in the cabinet. But it ruled

out any place for the 20 million voteless

blacks in the central government and endor-

sed the current policy of separate, self-

The council is a mainly white body with a

Botha said in a statement last week that the

handful of colored and Indian members. Its

proposals have been sharply criticized on a

proposals would be studied by the governm-

ent and provincial congresses of the ruling

National Party. He said they should not have

a destabilizing effect and should offer whites

a sense of security and permanency, while

barangays which President Ferdinand Mar-

cos set up shortly after proclaiming martial

rule on Sept. 21, 1972. Although the May 17

elections are non-partisan, candidates iden-

tified with the government's New Society

Movement (KBL) party are expected to

sweep the overwhelming majority of baran-

The "grand coalition" of 12 Philippine

opposition parties has also fielded candidates

in this low-profile election which bars the

participation of political parties and limits

The barangay elections will precede the

1984 parliamentary elections for the 200-

man National Assembly and take place

almost a year after last July's presidential

elections which President Marcos won hands

electoral propaganda 10 small handbills,

governing tribal homelands for blacks.

The council called for coloreds and Asians

with the country's 4.5 million whites.

SPRINGBOK, South Africa, May 16 (R) — South African Prime Minister P.W. Botha has implicitly backed recommendations for sweeping changes in the country's whitesonly political system.

Addressing a public meeting in this small mining town in the northwest of Cape Province Saturday night, Botha said civilization would triumph in South Africa only on the basis of mutual respect and justice.

It was Botha's first speech since South Africa's senior government advisory body last week called for radical changes in the country's political system, including granting equal political rights to all race groups except blacks. Botha said the colored (mixed race) people of South Africa had made great economic and social progress but still had no polit-

He asked how he could justify to the world the fact that millions of people did not even have control over the pavement outside their houses. "Why deny other people the opportunity to achieve their full rights and to control

what is precious to them?" he added. "We must make ourselves free by giving

giving other race groups an opportunity to realize reasonable expectations. Im candidates contesting

Filipino villagers vote today tains and assistants are vacant in 42,000

MANILA, May 16 (AFP) - More than a million candidates are standing for Monday's Philippine village council polls in an electoral campaign that has bloodied several provinces and already cost about 150 lives.

The armed forces of the Philippines are scheduled to go on "red alert" Monday to ward off or minimize electoral day violence expected to be launched by the New Peoples Army (NPA) of the Communist Party of the Philippines.

Last week, chairman Vicente Santiago of the watchdog commission on elections (Comelec) told the Foreign Correspondents Association of the Philippines that half of those killed were village captains, Santiago said "Communist terrorists" were behind the killings and were even putting up their candidates in a number of barangays or village councils in northern and central Philippines.
A total of 294,000 posts for village chief-

Taipei rules out talks with Peking

TAIPEI, May 16 (AFP) — Nationalist Chinese President Chiang Ching-kuo has reiterated that there is no possibility of any negotiation with the Chinese Communists, the Central News Agency reported here Sunday.

His declaration came in the form of an instruction to top-ranking officials of the military, the government and the ruling Nationalist Party Saturday, the news agency said.
"We should not have any deal with our enemy, nor should we compromise with the Communists," the Nationalist president said, adding, "the Communists are headed for a 'complete downfall due to economic, political and cultural crises."

The instruction was apparently prompted by the three letters which U.S. President Ronald Reagan wrote to Peking leaders on the Taiwan issue, in which he said that in the context of progress toward a peaceful solution of the Taiwan problem, there would naturally be a decrease in the need for arms by

Taipei.
U.S. arms sale to Taiwan has been a key issue that has caused a deterioration in relations hetween Washington and Peking.

Romania sacks 3 cabinet officials

BUCHAREST, Romania. May 16 (AP) --Three leading Romanian cabinet officials were fired Saturday after a top Communist Party meeting found them guilty of violating financial laws, Bucharest radio reported.

A communique issued after the party's executive political committee meeting, said Alexandru Margaritescu was dismissed as minister secretary of state in the Foreign Trade Ministry. Margaritescu also lost his post as chief of department of international economic cooperation, the radio said.

It said Enache Sirbu and Emilian Mihailescu were also removed from their posts as deputy ministers in the Agriculture Ministry. The announcement did not spell out specific charges against the three, but said they viola-ted "financial discipline" in connection with

foreign economic projects. Their activities, the radio added, resulted in hard currency loses for Romania. Romania has been cooperating with a number of developing countries in the construction of industrial and farm projects abroad.

Abductors free West German girl

BONN, May 16 (Agencies) - An eightyear-old girl has been freed hy kidnappers five months after she was abducted on her way to school, police said Sunday.

Nina von Gallwitz was released at an autobahn service area near Solingen. 30 kms from the Cologne suhurb where she was kidnapped last Dec. 18, a police spokesman said. Nina was reunited with her parents shortly after midnight at the end of what is believed to he West Germany's longest kidnapping ordeal. Her abductors escaped.

Deutschlandfunk radio quoted police in Cologne as saying her health had stood up the ordeal although she was very weak and could hardly walk after she was freed. A police spokesman refused to confirm the report or to comment on the girl's health. The Cologne-based Deutschlandfunk said the banker's daughter had spent most of her captivity lying down. Several men had brought her to the motorway service area in the boot of a car and released her blindfolded. Service station workers found her at a side-door of the restaurant clutching a pece of paper bearing her parents' telephone number.

The parents of Nina paid a ransom of 1.5 million deutschmarks (about \$645,000) for the release of their daughter, police said

In March, after failing to secure the release of their daughter, the parents had asked police to call off inquiries, and offered a reward of several thousand dollars for any help in tracing her. Since then, nothing had been reported on the case until Nina was found Saturday.

last year. On April 17, after 218 hours and

But Mongkol, a physical education instruc-tor at the Military Academy, and Sayam, a

commercial college student here, decided to stay on and complete 5.000 rounds on the

roller coaster, completing their dizzying eff-

There was also a tangible prize for them at

the end. The two each received one-eighth of the prize money of 50,000 baht (\$2,250), put

up by the amusement park and a local shop.

A doctor who examined the intrepid pair des-

cribed them Sunday as "a bit tired, but quite

eight minutes, six of the coasters quit.

Thais claim roller coaster record

BANKOK, May 16 (AFP) — Thirty-nine days and more than a thousand miles ago, two young Thai men set out to break a record on Sunday they climbed wearily off the roller coaster that had been temporary home since

Mongkol Ngampradit. 30, and Sayam Ravingthong. 21. had their ups and downs as they spent a total of 916 hours on the roller coaster, traveling just over 1,820 kms on the spindly steel track at Bangkok's magic land amu-

They started out with a six others, one a woman, to break a 218-hour roller coaster record set by an American student in Canada

ort Sunday.

HELSINKI (AFPI — Finland's powerful Communist Party Sunday ended a stormy two-day special congress by purging most of its leading Soviet-backed Stalinists. Before the election of the new leadership, outgoing party chairman Aorne Saarinen, 68, surprisingly accused the neighboring Soviet Union of interfering in the affairs of the Finnish party. The new party chairman is 38-year-old Jouko Kajaonja, currently labor minister in the center-left coalition government.

ATHENS (AFP) — A Home-made bomb exploded during the night at the police headquarters of loannina, a town in northwestern

Greece some 50 kms from the Albanian border, causing heavy damage but no casualties, it was learned Sunday. The bomb planted in the basement damaged the ground floor and wrecked several police cars parked outside, reports said.

BANGUI (AFP) - A special court Saturday sentenced to death five men found guilty of plotting against the military regime in the Central African Republic, two of them in absentia. A sixth man was acquitted, white the trial of the seventh is not yet finished. The court said it had further investigations to

After five-day siege

Mexican students free insect captives CIUDAD JUAREZ, Mexico, May 16 here was so that no harmonical designs in the contract of the contract of

(AP) - Agriculture students demanding more money for their school released 15 million insect larvae Saturday, along with the school administrator, who had been held captive in his office for five days.

The students had held the valuable larvae at a laboratory in nearby Zaragosa since Tuesday, threatening to kill them if federal agriculture officials did not provide more money to the Hermanos Escobar Agriculture School.

The students released the larvae Saturday just after midnight as a goodwill gesture but by the release of administrator Rigoberto Delgado Perez late Saturday morning. the students lost their last trump card in their dispute with the government.

The protesters — as many as 2,000 took part at the height of the protest -- said they would continue to demonstrate, but the movement was in disarray. "The only reason they were keeping me

students." Delgado said Saturday. "They don't want me to be a victim any more nor another cause for repression ... It feels good to be free." Some students said they feared the Mexican government would act against them because they had no hostages.

At 2:45 a.m. Saturday, between 500 and 800 federal police and soldiers ringed the school and towed away seven government vehicles the student had captured. No violence occurred and the troops left after 15 minutes. The students had said they would burn the vehicles by or on Monday if government officials refused to negotiate. On Tbursday, the students demolished and burned two trucks.

Local farmers and school alumni had asked the students not to kill the insects because it would cost farmers millions of dollars. Soldiers armed with automatic weapons guarded the insect laboratory after the students left.

at a captured office in Juarez and decided to abandon all of the hostages and buildings they controlled, except the school itself. Reyes said the students were afraid soldiers would mtervene.

The students had taken over the school, the lab and a local agriculture office Tuesday. They overran two other downtown agriculture offices Wednesday, using buses to block streets during the siege.

The students wanted the school board to \$4.9 million in cash and farm equipment the Mexican Secretary of Agriculture had promised the school in March. The students began the protest when the money did not arrive.

Agriculture officials had refused to negotiate with the students except to offer about \$580,000 which they said was all the department could afford. The students rejected

get the agriculture department to provide

Mitterrand to reaffirm ties with Africans

PARIS, May 16 (AFP) - French President Francois Mitterrand this week makes his first visit to sub-Sabaran Africa since bis elec-

tion more than a year ago. In a week-long tour starting Wedoesday and taking in the former French colooies of Niger. Ivory Coast and Senegal, he will be expounding his policy on development aid and will seek to calm the fears expressed by some Francophone African leaders about awakened French interest in English and Portuguese-speaking states in the continent.

His visit - which will include stopovers in Algiers on the outward flight and in Nouakchott, Mauritania. on the return -- will reaffirm that France's historic and special ries with a number of African states will be maintained and fostered by bis government.

Paris has already made it clear that the defense pacts made by previous governments with six states - Central African Republic: Comoros, Diibouti, Gabon, Ivory Coast and Senegal - and which include the basing of French troops will be scrupulously respected.

Minister for Cooperation and Development Jean-Pierre Cot, who is responsible for French aid to other countries, said recently on a trip to Upper Volta that his government considered it normal to maintain French military bases io Africa "at the request of those countries which want them.'

But Cot added that he did not wish the current situation to be a permanent ooe. France also gives military aid to more than a score of African countries. According to Cot. the aim is to contribute to "true nonalignment", meaning that developing states are not forced to choose between the two superpow-

lo the field of development aid to the Third World, and ootably to Africa, it has already been anoounced that France intends to double the proportion of its budget during Mitterrand's seven-year term from 0.35 percent of gross domestic product to 0.7 percent.

France is also keen to promote "selfdevelopment" in the Third World, encouraging every country to improve itself by its own efforts. Paris considers that aid must be tailored to the needs of each state, and is also urging support for a stabilization of prices for world basic materials to create more fairness in North-South relations.

To this end, France has offered to lead the way in setting up a special fuod to ensure the level of world aid to developing countries is maintained, or even increased.

On a recent visit to Cameroon, the French University study shows

economy and finance minister explained that the move was prompted by "the very serious problems" posed for the Third World by the cut in global aid from the World Bank caused by reductions in contributions from Washing-

On the political froot. France says that problems such as the Western Sahara (where Morocco is fighting the nationalist Polisario front for control) and Chad (where a faction-ridden government is struggling against rebels) are African ones and should be left to the Organization of African Unity (OAU). No country outside Africa, and above all the superpowers, should become

However, France is helping to maintain the OAU peacekeeping force in Chad, a former French colony, and has backed the governmcnt as the best hope for rebuilding the coun-

In the Western Sahara France's position is one of neutrality, but it asserts the right of all peoples to self-determination and has allowed the Polisario to open a bureau in Paris. The French government has also said it is available if required to aid the search for a peaceful solution to the the conflict (Morocco and the Polisario's main backer Algeria are also both former French colonies).

20% of U.S. adults are 'functional illiterates'

WASHINGTON, May 16 (AFP) - Neorly 20 percent of all adults in the United States are "functional" illiterates, incapable of filling out a job application, writing a check or reading a bus schedule; a recent study has revealed.

Although official statistics claim illiteracy has virtually disappeared in the United States, some 23 million Americans nevertheless cannot perform simple tasks requiring the most basic of reading and writing skills. Uni-

U.S. jury indicts 6 Croatians for terror campaign

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP) - A federal jury has found six Croatians guilty of plotting murders, bombings and extortion against fellow Croatians in a campaign of terror in the name of Croatian independence from Yugoslavia. Four other defendants in the threemonth-long trial in Manhattan federal court were acquitted by a jury that deliherated a full week before reaching its verdict.

U.S. district judge Constance Baker Motlev ordered the six convicted defendants held in bail ranging from \$300,000 to \$1 million and set sentencing for June 30. Four of the six were found guilty of both racketeering and racketeering conspiracy, and could get 20 years in prison on each charge. They included. Ante Ljubas, 36, of Chicago; Mile Markic, 57, of Skokie, Illinois; Ranko Primoac, 34. of Los Angeles; and Milan Bagaric, 46. of

Found guilty of the conspiracy charge were Vinko Logarusic, 35, of Cleveland, and Drago Sudar, 50, of Toronto, Canada. They face up to 20 years in jail when sentenced The four men found innocent were Andjelko Jakic, 36, of Mamaroneck, New York; Miro Biosic, 33, of San Clemente, California; Mile Bozan, 41. of Hillsborough, California, and lvan Misetic, 37, of Ecokie.

Prosecutors Stuart Baskin and Paul Shechtman charged that the so-called Croatian independence movement, known as Otpor, actually was a "corrupt organization whose chief occupation was arson, extortion, bombing and murder."

They said the group had "field offices" in Los Angeles, northern California, Cleveland, New York and Toronto and were also acrive in Scotland, West Germany and Paraguay.

The government charged the group with being responsible for two murders, four unsuccessful murder plots, more than 50 acts of extortion, three cases of arson, four arson plots and interstate transportation of explosi-

Laubas was described by the prosecutors as the "field general" of the terrorist group and Markic as the group's "elder statesman."
They named Bagaric as the organization's "Chicago bombmaker."

Pope returns to Rome

ROME, May 16 (AFP) - Flying home from Portugal Saturday, it was clear from the Pope's happy, though tired, face that the success of his visit to that country outweighed an attempt on his life there by a disillusioned priest.

"Speak to me in Portuguese, it's the only language I understand now". John Paul II joked with newsmen during the flight. The knife attack, on the eve of the anniversary of the attempt on his life by a Turkish gunman in Saint Peter's Square, increased the anxiety of the pope's staff, and meant even tighter security arrangements.

versity of Texas at Austin researchers have

Their recently published study, based on five sample populations of 1,500 persons each, ladicates that practically two out of every ten adult Americans have trouble reading wanted ads, restaurant menus, road maps, and social security forms. According to the study, the number of illit-

erates is bound to increase with the continued influx of South American and Asian immigrants unable to read and write in their own languages, and with the rise in the number of children who leave school before the age of 16.
The seriousness of the problem, alarming

developed in the world, was underlined in the cover story of a recent edition of U.S. News and World Report. The weekly magazine cited the example of a young man out of work in Detroit. He told a

reporter: "I would call companies and ask if the applicants had to fill out forms. If it was required, I would pass up the opportunity.

About the only thing I was sure I could spell right was my name."

A 32-year-old woman interviewed by the magazine confessed: "I'll try to read my horoscope bur it sometimes takes me two minutes to get through a sentence and by the time I get to the end, I've forgotten the meaning." The same woman said it had taken her four years to pass her driver's license. "I knew the answers but I couldn't read the questions. Finally I just memorized all questions and

The University of Texas study showed there are higher proportions of quasiilliterates among women than men. more among the elderly than the young. Their fmdings indicated the real problem was one of race and income: 56 percent of all Latins and 44 percent of all blacks could be considered functionally illiterate, compared to 23 percent among whites.

Forty percent of adults with annual income of less than \$5,000 are semi-illiterates compared to 8 percent for people earning \$15,000 a year, the study showed.

Red China reorganizes party setup

PEKING, May 16 (AFP) - A shake-up in the Chinese Communist Purty's Inp-level administrative machinery was announced here Sunday in a move following closely on the heels of a major reorganization of the government.

The New China News Agency (NCNA) said five of the 12 directors heading the party's administrative bodies were replaced. Observers said the most important change was the departure of Vice Premier Yao Yilin as head of the powerful general office in fav-our of Hu Qili. The replacement of Yao Yilin. probably for technical reasons to avoid an accumulation of functions in one man, was the only change in the administrative apparatus that had not been previously disclosed.

The other changes reported by NCNA, notably the removal of Hua Guofeng, formerly China's top leader and now party vice chairman, as head of the party's school, had already been made public in the Chinese press. The 61-year-old Hua, whom Mao Tse tung personally designated his successor belore his death in 1976, was replaced in the sehool post by Wang Zhen, 74, a member of the Politburo.

Hua has been progressively removed from his functions in recent years by the regime of China's current strongman, party vice chairman Deng Xiaoping, losing first the post of premier and then party chairman. The Chinese press reported recently that he was hospitalized without specifying why. But reliable sources said he had suffered heart trouble.

Hu Qili, 52, the new director of the general office, whose functions include keeping the party's records, is said to be a close associate of party Chairman Hu Yaobung. China is in the midst of a vast reorganization of its administrative machinery in a move to make its bureaucracy more rational and purge elements that are judged politically untrustworthy.

A sweeping government reshuffle was put into effect May 4, including a cut in the number of vice premiers from 13 to two, the numination of 23 new ministers and the creation of a state economic commission merging several bodies.

The other changes in the party administration announced by NCNA were in the propaganda department where Deng Liqun replaces Wang Renzhong, the united front work department where Politburo member Nulanfu gives way to Yang Jingren, and the international liaison department where Qiao Shi succeeds Ji Pengfei.

NCNA also announced the reorganization of the management of the People 's Daily, the party's organ and the leading newspaper in China with a circulation of nearly seven million. The editor in chief Hu Jiwei will be replaced by his first deputy, Qin Chuan, and will move on to become director of the publication, a post that did not previously exist forma-Ily. NCNA did not specify what would be the new responsibilities of Hu, who is close to Deng Xiaoping.

Peking halts news leak

PEKING, May 16 (AFP) - The Peking Review Sunday reiterated the government's ban on the dissemination of all news on the activities of Chinese leaders not made public officially, as authorities appear in be stepping up efforts to plug leaks of "state secrets."

The Review restated the policy in a commentary on a five-year jail sentence imposed recently on a Chinese journalist for supplying foreigners with details of last June's plenary meeting of the Communist Party central committee.

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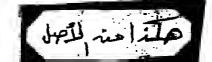
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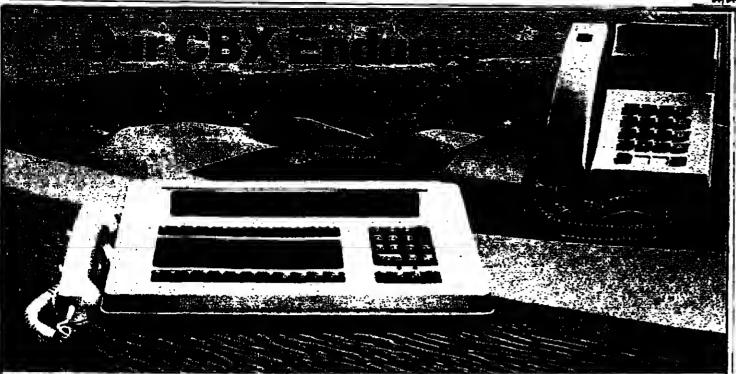
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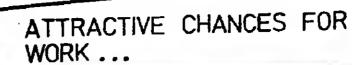
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At Quito deliberations

PEC may opt for price freeze

PARIS, May 16 (AFP) — OPEC ministers due to meet in Quito, Ecuador on Thursday. can preen themselves on having so far staved off a threatened slump in oil prices caused by failing demand.

But market evolution still remains the hig question mark for most experts. Drastic production curbs were decided by the 13 members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries at an emergency meeting in Vienna last March and these enabled them to halt the slump in the price of crude which had accelerated in Fehruary particularly on the open market

Over the past two weeks, spot prices have tended to catch up with official OPEC rates. In some cases, prices have risen up to \$3.50 over the rate for British and Norwegian North Sea crude bad dropped to \$31 a barrel.

Observers did not rule out a possible increase in the price of North Sea oil - a move which would ease the situation of other prodncers of light crude. Nigeria particularly.

Western oil companies recognize that inspite of unfavorable market conditions. OPEC has succeeded in defending its price structure hased on the reference price of \$34 for a harrel of Arabian light Saudi crude.

OPEC has made it clear that the idea of a reduction of its official price is a "dream from the past". But experts said it was probable the Quito meeting would opt to maintain its current price freeze. This, allowing for inflation. means a slow but steady decline in the real

IUKYO, May 16 (AFP) - A draft pack-

age of rules - governing sales of military tech-

nology will incorporate a clause allowing

Japan to sell military-related technology to

the United States unless it conflicts with the

national interest or hasic government

The package, expected to be adopted by

the government May 28, will end a year-long

dispute over a U.S. request for supply of

Ending glut

Soviet style

MOSCOW, May 16 (AFP) -

Sewing-machines are desperately lacking

here, Nedelia weekly supplement to the

government daily Izvzstia reported Sun-

A special investigative reporter wrote

that he was unable to find a single

sewing-machine after scouring the Soviet

Asked to comment on the shortage, an

industrial official said that in the past, six

or seven specialized sewing-machine pro-

ducing companies had been asked to stop

production to avoid a glut of machines on

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policies, government sources said Sunday.

Japan to lift know-how curbs

But to achieve this result OPEC has had to cut back production far below the ceiling of \$17.5 million harrels a day decided in Vienna. In March, the output of the 13 OPEC members fell to 15.85 million hod-barely more than half the record production of 1979. For the first time in 20 years, OPEC lost its position as the leading supplier of oil in the non-Communist world.

However, according to the specialist review Arab Oil and Gas, OPEC 's overall production has begun to rise again in recent weeks and stood at 16.5 million hpd at the beginning of May.

At present, only four countries are ptoducing their full quotas allotted to them at the Vienna conference: the United Arah Emirates, Indonesia, Venezuela and Gabon, Iran, which hadly needs cash to finance its war against Iraq, is turning out several hundred thousand barrels a day more than the ceiling quota it rejected last March of I .2 million bpd fixed by OPEC.

Ecuador now appears to have resolved problems encountered in marketing its production. And, the situation of Nigeria - recently subject to a virtual boycott by Western oil buyers trying to force down prices — was improved by a tour earlier this month of Nigerian oil minister to Arab states who pledged substantial financial assistance.

Nevertheless, market evolution is still a dicey bet for the experts. According to the International Energy Agency, oil consumpt-

The sources said that the draft package

1-The supply of technology should be

approved as a special exception to the overall

ban on weapons exports and the government

will continue to ahide hy the rules in other

2-When the U.S. requests specific milit-

ary technology, Japan will ask Washington to

specify the putpose for which the technology

will he used and conclude a detailed agree-

national conflict, agreements previously con-

cluded will continue to be met, hut new con-

tracts should he handled with extreme carc.

pending since June last year when the United

States strongly requested such supplies. Both

the foreign ministry and the defense agency

wanted to share technology on the basis of

the Japan-U.S. security treaty and exempt it

from the three rules which include a ban on

shipments of weapons to Communist coun-

tries, to nations which the United Nations has

placed under such an arms emhargo and

countries involved in international disputes,

However, the Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI) was opposed because the "special approval" will compli-:

cate administrative procedures. Under the

provisional policy, Japan will refuse to

provide technology applicable to nuclear and

hiochemical weapons, the sources added.

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3-If the U.S. hecomes involved in inter-

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would include the following three points:

ion of 24 industrialized countries who belong to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OPCD) went down by 6.3 percent in 1982 and their imports from OPEC plummeted by 19.3 per-

Destocking (now running between three and four million barrels daily) which accelerated over the last few months due to high interest rates and an expected fall in the price of crude, could even off and perhaps be reversed toward the end of September, according

But the agency, estimating current Western demand at 45.4 million hpd, said stocks accumulated by OECD members still represented some 421 million tons - or 107 days reserves - at April 1.

In the longer term, if world economic expansion takes off again at the end of the year and can reach an annual three percent rate by 1983, demand for OPEC oil would increase to 23 million had next year from an average 20 million hpd this year, IEA experts said.

Stabilization of crude oil prices should partly make up for the impact on consumption of energy saving and the development of alternative sources of energy, the IEA said.

Meanwhile, taking advantage of the restored but fragile stability of the oil market, Japan intends to use the upcoming June summit of industrialized nations at Versailles. France, to call for a major conference of some 44 countries to reactivate dialogue between producers and consumers.

Nepal's power plant shut down

KATHMANDU, May 16 (AFP) — A \$120 million hydro-electric project was Sunday reported to bave been shut down in this Himalayan mountain kingdom for repairs to tunnel that is cracked and leaking at several

The closure Saturday will force the staterun electric utility to adopt conservation measures to make up for a shortfall of power during evening peak hours.

The Kulekhani project, 80 kms (50 miles) south of here, was designed and supervized hy the Japanese firm Nippon Koei Company and huilt hy Shamhhu Constructions of South Korea.

Nepal has a potential for 83, 000 megawatts of hydro-power due to its ahundant Himalayan water, hut the Kulekhani project has been designed to depend on the monsoon water from the Kulekhani and Simkhola rivers. The project is expected to be economically viable only in its second phase, when facilities to generate 33,000 kilowatts of power will be completed by 1986.

India exports up

NEW DELHI, May 16 (AFP) - The Soviet Union and Eastern Europe were India's best customers last year, official trade statist ics showed Friday.

Sales to the Soviet Union, top huyer of Indian goods, came to \$1,285 million or 81 percent more. Sales to East Europe rose more than 50 percent to \$1,556 million.

KOLWEZI, May 16 (AP) - When Zaire

finally throws the switch June 30 to turn on

the world's longest direct current power line,

most of the workers involved in the nine-year

Inga-Shaha project will have moved away,

leaving hehind millions of dollars in equipm-

ent and a giant electrical complex with a very

The story of its construction is full of contr-

The project cost overrun is believed to be

oversy, delays and memories of two forced

at least two times the original \$250 million

winning construction hid hy an American

firm. And it is not certain who will use the 560

megawatts of electricity the line is designed to

carry in its initial stage. There are no hranc-

hes off the 1.200-mile-long (1,900-km) line

that passes through most of southern Zaire, an area plagued by power shortages.

American construction wotkers acquired skills for which there is now little demand.

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hoe falls and a series of dams toward the Atlantic, to Shaha province in the southeast, site of the copper mines that provide 80 percent of Zaire's export earnings. The Inga-Shaha project was conceived by

the French national electricity firm, Electric-

ite de France, at the request of Societe Nationale d'Electricite, its Zairean counterpart, in the early 1970s. Copper and cohalt prices were high and oil prices had not yet quadrupled. Gecamines, the national mining company, needed more electricity for its amhitious expansion program in Shaha. Since then, however, copper

have been shelved and both Zaire and Gecamines are strapped for hard currency. A Gecamines official at the company's quarters in Lubumbashi said in an interview that at most the mines would now need no more than 150 megawatts.

prices have plummetted, expansion plans

"many others are only relatively so — depending on the environment in which they are used." The seminar expressed the view that consumer groups should be more than a remedying force with respect to the problem of product inappropriateness. Consumerists, it was agreed, should become actively involved in the formulation of product policies. Consumer groups were asked to consider social and ecological considerations when recommending products and services. The seminar was informed of "widespread

some goods are universally inappropriate,

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Consumerists concerned

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Worthless products abound

KUALA LUMPUR May 16 (Depthnews)

- Consumerists have expanded their con-

cern for appropriateness to include not only

This growing interest in appropriate pro-

ducts was highlighted during a recent seminar

organized by the International Organization

of Consumers Union (IOCU) in cooperation

with the International Labor Organization

(ILO) and the International Development

Research Center (IDRC) in Penang,

Participants noted that the market power

of major producers, many of which are hased

in industrialized countries, bas on account of

increasing scarcity, resulted in a proliferation

They suggested that "inappropriate pro-

ducts should be treated as socio-economic

problem of phenomenal scale, especially in

developing countries, where they affect sur-

vival, safely and indigenous ways of life and

Problems of inappropriate products and

technology are closely linked, they added.

The seminar drew up the considerations

which consumers can keep in mind in judging

These are basic needs, respect for the indi-

vidual, economy, cultural values, safety, emp-

lovment effect, accessibility to the majority of

consumers, use of local material, harmonization with the environment, and availability of complementary goods and services:

In less developed countries one of the basic

issues is the satisfaction of hasic needs, par-

ticipants pointed out. It is necessary then in

such nations to evaluate the suitablity of a

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means of livelihood."

Zaire power project to go on stream

a product's appropriateness.

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organized adulteration of food in India, malpractices of transnational corporations in the Philippines, the infant food scandal, social and ecological crises that have loomed as a result of unsuitable technology and products...'

'End poverty' call at rally

BRUSSELS, May 16 (R) - Thousands of people from all over the world have called on governments and international organizations, to take action to eliminate poverty and ensure human rights for all.

They were assembled here at an antipoverty rally to mark the 25th anniversary of the Fourth World Movement, a Frenchbased organization which aims to help the underprivileged and campaigns on their beh-

Delegates came from some 60 countries. including the United States, most West European countries and a number of developing

Their petition, endorsed by around 10,000 signatories according to the organizers, den-ounced poverty as a basic violation of human rights' and demanded education for all child-

Sudan to receive \$100m U.S. aid

KHARTOUM, May 16 (R) - The United States granted Sudan aid of \$100 million to buy products and agricultural and industrial machinery under an agreement signed here.

The U.S. ambassador to Sudan, William Kontos, and Sudanese Finance Minister Ibtahim Moniem Mansour signed the agreement Saturday, the official Sudan News Agency (SUNA) reported.

The agreement provides for the purchase of bigh priority imports for public and private sector, SUNA said hut gave no further deta-

Sri Lanka plans manpower export

MANAMA, May 16 (AFP) - Sri Lanka is planning to send 100,000 workers to the Middle East hy the end of the year to boost foreign currency earnings and reduce its unemployment, the Gulf Daily News reported Sunday.

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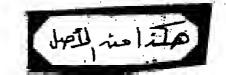
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Talks on global economy

West, 3rd World rift surfaces

HELSINKI, May 16 (R) - Financial leaders of the major industrial powers and the Third World have been scarcely able to mask deep divisions in a week's talks on the world

U.S. Treasury Secretary Donald Regan spent last week at meetings in Paris and Helsinki defending the United States against widespread criticism that its hardline economic policies aimed at bringing down inflation are too severe.

Regan was in the spotlight both the Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) in Paris and the spring discussions of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank here.

The two meetings served as a springboard for the annual summit of the seven leading Communist countries next month in Versailles. finance ministers and central bank governors at this week's meetings sought to smooth over differences before the summit.

Third World nations had their last chance before the summit to try to influence major industrial powers into a change of heart about tightening up on foreign aid, but they mana-ged to sway their leading sources of financial help only slightly.

World Bank President Tom Clausen said the prospects for the poorest developing countries were particularly bleak and warned that they would be forced to give up some of their previous gains because of the poor economic climate.

IMF officials estimated that the non-oil

producing countries would have to raise \$200 billion to cover their balance of payments shortages in 1982 and 1983 in a hostile economicchimate in which private banks are showing signs of increasing their defense against

The delegates at the Paris and Helsinki meetings were given slightly different views of future economic activity by the OECD, which groups the 24 top non-Communist economies, and the IMF. Both were gloomy.

For all industrial countries, the IMF projected economies would expand by only 0.8 percent this year, a sharp decline from the pre-OPEC days of 1963-72 when average annual gains were close to five percent.

It predicted that the volume of world trade, which failed to expand last year for the first time since World War II, would only increase by about two percent next year.

It also said industrial countries faced a combined current account trade deficit of \$11 billion this year.

While this was a sharp improvement from the record \$66.9 billion combined deficit in 1980, economists said there are hardly grounds for great optimism since it largely reflected plunging oil prices.

Bonn cautious over mark rise

FRANKFURT, May 16 (R) - A stronger West German economic performance has boosted the mark on foreign exchange markets recently, but a mood of caurion is growing here over whether a rising trend can be susta-

The dollar touched a low of 2.26 marks early this week, after having held steady a month ago at above 2.40 marks. The sudden fall came as strong West German trade and balance of payments figures for the first quarter of the year coincided with news of a large U.S. trade deficit.

But the mark's rally faltered later in the week and it traded Friday at 2.3080 against the dollar, partly due to worries that U.S. interest rates might not come down as far and as fast as most experts bave predicted.

Analysts, bowever, said they were surprised because the German currency had risen too far too quickly, and a period of consolidation was overdue, especially as new experts predict a revival of the domestic economy. before late this year.

Although West Germany has secured a degree of independence from interest rate competitiveness with other countries, in particular the United States, scope for further cuts in rates to stimulate business here may be imited, they said.

One leading banker, Heinz Biuql, management board chairman of Hessische Landesbank Gironzentrale, said last week that public sector deficits in West Germany were also limiting scope for further interest rates cuts.

to check the economic slide

Mubarak acts CAIRO, May 16 (R) - President Hosni Mubarak is putting his political prestige on the line as be strives to boost the Egyptian economy and ease the crushing poverty of much of the population. result of exchange rate fluctuations.

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Now that the whole of the Sinai peninsula has been returned, the economy is President Mubarak's most daunting task, Political experts believe he must show some results soon if he is to keep the popular backing he won after the assassination of President Anwar Sadat last October.

Economists agree the problem is getting worse. Every year some 1,200,000 babies swell the Egyptian population, now standing at 44 million, consuming more food from shrinking agricultural resources.

Egypt's building industry produces only about 130,000 new homes a year, less that a sixth of the number needed. Food imports cost \$2.3 billion last year, more than a quar-

ter of Egypt's total import bill. On top of this, revenues from Egypt's major foreign currency earners, oil, tourism, the Suez Canal and workers' remittances, began levelling off in 1981.

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percent down on the previous year although government officials say there has been some improvement this year. Canal revenue at \$800 million was also down as a

The biggest foreign currency earnings came from the \$3 billion in remittances from Egyptians working abroad.

An economic conference chaired by President Mubarak considered the problems in February. It decided the task should be tackled on several fronts by stimulating investment, rationalizing imports, revising subsidies, adjusting exchange rates and maintaining energy prices. It also decided that a major birth control campaign should be

Mubarak has stressed that the open-door policy for foreign investment, introduced by the late President Sadat, will continue. But be said recently that investment should be guided in directions most beneficial to Egypt and trade experts believe imports of manufactured consumer goods could be

Mubarak has also called for an urgent campaign to solve the overpopulation prob-lem which be said could cripple Egypt's economy. Economists say that the more population increases, the more productive

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agricultural land if overrun by housing. A study by the ministry of land reclamat-

ion showed that 280,000 hectares of agricu-Itural land has been lost during the past 10 years, about 8.5 percent of the total cultivated area in Egypt.

The study showed that farmers deserted the countryside and settled in urban areas seeking jobs because of the drop in acreage of cultivated land. It said that where as 81 percent of Egyptians lived in rural areas in 1907, only 56 percent did so today and the percentage was expected to drop further to 45 percent by the year 2000.

The government has planned various land reclamation projects. The first involves some 120,000 hectares west of Nubaria Canal in the western desert and most of the work will be done by the armed forces.

Defense Minister Field Marshal Abdul Halim Abughazala said that with the completion of this project by 1990, the armed forces would be self-sufficient in food and have a surplus for the rest of the nation.

Another 200,000 hectares are to be reclaimed at Salhia east of the Nile delta, Work began last January on the first part of this projecti covering 22,600 hectares at an estmated cost of 293 million Egyptian pounds (\$337 million).

OPEC output placed at 17 million bpd

NICOSIA. May 16 (AP) - Increased crude oil exports by fran and Nigeria resulted in a probable rise of OPEC production to 17 million barrels per day, compared to the low point of 16 million last month, a Middle East weekly Oil Review reported Sunday.

"This is still a very low level output by any standards," added that well informed Middle East Economic Survey (MEES).

As a result, OPEC ministers during their forthcoming meeting in Quito "will have the tricky task of deciding whether or not the prospect of increased demand in the third quarter would warrant relaxation of their present 17.5 million barrels per day output ceiling." MEES said.

The Review said reports reaching it from Lagos indicate Nigerian production in May will reach or surpass the OPEC ceiling level of 1.3 million banels per day. Nigerian production in April was below 900,000 barrels per day, it added.

Referring to Iran, MEES said although the volume of exports" is still shrouded in mystery, it is nevertheless evident there has been a very substantial boost in lifting over the past

"The indications are that Iranian oil deliveries (including shipments for processing abroad to meet domestic requirements for refined products) may be climbing toward the two million barrels per day figure, which is said to be Iran's target."

India set to host food conference

NEW DELHI, May 16 (AFP) - Ways to provide "food for all" will he discussed by experts from all over the world at an eightday conference in the south Indian city of Bangalore starting May 23,

Over 1,000 delegates will attend the conference, named "Ahara-82" by India. Australia, Bangladesh, Brazil, Canada,

Denmark, Egypt, Hungary, Indonesia, the Netherlands, Japan, Pakistan, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Britain and the United States have already accepted the invitation.

The conference will focus attention on the challenges of the decade, including world food availability and distribution, new food sources, development of food processing and the socio-economic impact of food technol-

Indian President Neelam Sanjiva Reddy will inaugurate the conference.

Paris to borrow \$600m

PARIS, May 16 (AFP) - France has launched a \$600 million borrowing through the intermediary of the "Credit National" with an original feature of being based on the U.S. prime rate, informed sources at the Indosuez Bank (which is heading up the operation) have said last Friday.

EEC curbs on Argentina opposed PARIS, May 16 (AFP) - Peruvian Prime

Minister Manuel Ulloa warned here Sunday against continuance by the European Economic Community (EEC) of sanctions against Argentina over the Falklands. The sanctions are due to expire Monday.

"Time is short," Ulloa told Agence France-Presse during a stopover in Paris while on his way to Brussels for an official visit. He arrived from Helsinki, where he attended the International Monetary Federation (IMF) and world bank meeting.

"There is grave fatigue and tension in the two countries (Argentina and Britain)," be said, "and if a peaceful solution is not found. the result could be a much bloodier conflict, with very serious consequences from the political viewpoint.

"We have in fact taken the initiative of asking the EEC not to prolong the sanctions that it took a month ago against Argentina." He said the affair also involved the United States, whose sanctions, like those of the

EEC, were regarded by the Latin-American nations as "unjustified." "I think there is at present an awareness in Europe that it should intervene more acovely in the search for a solution to the Falklands

conflict," he said. Ulloa said that, "the Latin American countries have been more cautious and much more serious in their support of Argentina in

order to facilitate a peaceful solution than have the West European countries in their support of Britain." 'I think," he added, "that this (West European) attitude has not helped facilitate a

settlement but that it has, on the contrary, had the effect of hardening the British attitude.

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Ulloa, who also Peru's economy minister. said that at Helsinki he had talked privately with U.S. Treasury Secretary Donald Regan and European and Chinese colleagues and expressed the Latin-American countries worry over the Falklands.

He had also underlined "our proposal to further the search for peace" under United Nations auspices.

"As a result of these contacts," he said, "it seems to me that the simple expression of solidarity with the British, followed by a certain amount of passivity, has given the West Europeans an image that does not, I believe, reflect reality."

His Helsinki contacts. Ullos said. "Seem to me to indicate that it is now understood that what is happening is more serious than was thought at the beginning of the affair."

Jordan's GNP jumps to \$3b

AMMAN, May 16 (R) - Jordan's gross national product ((GNP) the value of the country's goods and services - rose sharply to almost one billion dinars (about \$3 billion) in 1980, the Department of Statistics has said.

The department's director-general. Burhan Shraydeh, told Reuters Saturday that the figure of 999.4 million dinars for 1980 was 231 million dinars (about \$700 million) higher than in 1979.

He attributed the increase to expanded activity in the mining and minerals sector, and in particular to a rise in overseas sales of phosphates. Jordan's major export commodity.

The increase in the gross national product was also boosted by a 38 percent rise in other exports, including vegetables, cereals and cigarettes



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Financial Roundup

Riyal eases in dull trading

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH, May 16 - In some thin trading, rival deposit rates cased back Sunday to take the one-month rate to 12%-12% percent from Saturday's 13-1312 percent levels. Jeddah bankers noted that the money markets were adjusting to lower U.S. deposit rates as well as to continued liquidity availability in the market.

In other prices quoted, the week-fixed rate was also down over Saturday prices at 121: 13 percent levels while in the longer periods the one-year rate was quoted — but not dealt - at 1214-1214 percent.

Rigal deposit yield curves were generally flat" continuing a trend seen from the previous week but serious transaction activity was concentrated in the shorter tenors of generally under three months. The persistent tall in rival deposit rates over the past

few weeks should come as good news to all those business contemplating asking for financial advances from the banks

In the Bahraini based OBU's - isbore banking units - Sunday was also a quiet trading day but some hanks quoted European exchange prices. The British pound was still quoted firmly at 1.82nti levels while the mark was unchanged at 2.3010

The Eurodollar deposit rates were quoted at lower levels though bearing in mind the possible reaction of the European markets when they open for husiness Monday. The one-month rate wis quoted at 14 13/16 percent levels but the inter-bank quotes for the shorter tenars tell back to 1414 percent for the one week rate and under 14 percent for shorter dates. Even at such prices there were hardly any takers in

Tanzania set to woo tourists

DAR ES SALAAM, May to (ONS) -The hotel waiters were notably polite to Livio Ghedin as he ordered his lunch on a terrace facing Dar es Salaant harbor. The bloodless revolution he is masterminding in socialist Tanzania will have a special significance for

The appnintment of Ghedin, aged 37, as director of hotel services to the Tanzania Tourist Corporation, reflects an urgent about-turn by President Julius Nyerere's financially desperate government.

Tourism was for long denounced here as an infectious carrier of the West's 'Coca-Cola culture'. Waiting on foreigners was seen as demeaning to national pride. But affluent holiday-makers are now to be woord, as the

hearers of dollars and other hard currencies. Belatedly, the country is gearing up to challenge its capitalist neighbor. Kenya, for the economic rewards of the game parks and Indian Ocean beaches,

In Nyerere's 'second survival plan', launched in January, tourism was converted into a high priority. The World Bank has earmarked a \$20 million loan for tourism and \$200 million over 20 years is being sought in Europe from Commercial sources.

Ghedin himself has been sent out by the World Bank, which with its strictures on some other sectors - notably agriculture is still totally at odds with Tanzania's socialist policies. In Jourism There is agreement to be strictly elitist. 'We shall not encourage mass

tourism,' says Ghedin, 'We are going for the top of the market. Unlike Kenya, we don't want more people than animals in the game parks,"

Born near Venice. Ghedin made his name as an hotelier in Britain, East Africa is new to him, but he is soon adjusting to the realities - for instance, the lack of basic necessities such as hatteries, soap and toothpaste in the ordinary Tanzanian shops. Every hotel will have a hard currency shop," he says. We expeel to have the hotels ready for a 50 percent increase in visitors by the autumn."

Tanzania has more wildlife than anywhere else in Africa; the Selous Game Reserve, the biggest in the world, has 100,000 elephants. It can also claim the hest scenery and the continent's highest mountain, the 19,400ft kilimanjaro.

But one problem will be to get the hopedfor new wave of top-bracket tourists around to these delights. Petrol is scarce in Tanzania and the roads are so rough that mini-buses are written off within two years.

I asked Amani Macha, an executive with the tourist corporation, how the life of the mini-buses might be extended. 'We must ask the drivers to go slower, he said,

Ghedin is more concerned with replacing kitchen equipment in neglected game lodges - one of which, near Mount Kilimanjaro. has 400 beds. Chefs are being sent out from Europe, Tanzanian cooks are being trained in Malta and accountants in Pakistan.

PARIS, (AFP) — France's most highly paid women executives never earn more than 30,000 francs (about \$5,000) monthly while top men's monthly salaries can reach 100,000 francs (about \$16,500), according to a magazine survey Sunday. The weekly Le Nouveau magazine did not say how many women executives were in this top salary bracket, but it reported that only 9,000 women, or 0.2 percent of women workers. \$8,000) monthly.

STOCKHOLM, (AFP) — Sweden has decided to give \$2.7 million worth of emergency aid to Botswana and South Yemen. Botswana will get \$1.8 million for drilling wells to alleviate drought, while \$900,000 will go to help recent flood victims in South

Yemen, MADRID. (AFP) — The American multinational General Motors is getting ready to enter the Spanish auto market through its West German subsidiary Opel, which will make its new Corsa model in Spain beginning next August, reliable sources said here last week. The sources said that experimen-

tal assembly of this model was intended for preliminary trials and verifications before mass production.

NEW DELHI. (AFP) An agreement between the Indiangovernment run National Thermal Power Corporation and a British firm was signed for installating a 1.800 mw super thermal power station in the north Indian state of Uttar Pradesh, It was reported that the British firm, Northern Engineering Industries, would be responsible for the supply, erection and commissioning of all

equipment systems for the project.

MANAMA. (Special) - At their joint meeting May 6 1982, the board of management and the supervisory board of BMW AG resolved to propose to the general meeting to be held in Munich on June 30. A dividend of DM 9 (previous year DM 111) for each DM 50. — share in the 1981 business year, such dividend to be payable on the share capital entitled to dividends of DM 500 million. An additional amount of DM 55 million was allocated to the free reser-

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For 21st win in last 27 games

Tony Perez powers Red Sox past Royals

NEW YORK, May 16 (AP) — Tony Perez triggered a five-run Boston outburst in the fifth Inning with a double, and the Red Sox defeated the Kansas City Royals 10-5 Satur-

The Red Sox scored two runs in the first inning and led 3-0 after Dave Stapleton hit reliever Jim Wright's second pitch of the second inning for a solo homer. After Perez's two-run double in the fifth. Carney Lansford doubled home two more runs and another scored on Kansas City catcher John Wathan's

Royals third baseman George Brett, celebrating his 29th hirthday, tripled and slugged a three-run homer that chased Red Sox righthander Mike Torrez, 3-2. in Kansas City's four-run seventh. The Red Sox have won 21 of their last 27 games.

Left-hander Vida Blue. 2-3. started for Kansas City but pulled a leg muscle on his last pitch of the first inning, forcing him to leave.

Elsewhere in the American League, Dwayne Murphy and Jimmy Sexton hit solo homers, and Kelvin Moore rapped a two-run single to lead the Oakland A's to a 7-3 victory over the New York Yankees. Murphy hit his team-leading eighth homer of the year in a four-run first-inning outburst.

Lance Parrish slugged a one-out homer in the 10th inning to lift the Detroit Tigers to a 5-4 victory over the Minnesota Twins. It was the Tigers' second straight extra-inning triumph. Tigers reliever Elias Sosa, 2-1, came into the game in the 10th after Detroit starter anta Braves 7-6 in 10 innings.

and got the victory.

In the National League, Chris Welsh threw a four-hitter and drove in two runs to help the San Diego Padres defeat the Montreal Expose Gyawm Welsh allowed the Expos, first run in the second inning when Al Oliver homered, and he took a two-hitter into the ninth inning before giving up a run-scoring single to Oliver.

Johnny Ray and pitcher Rick Rhoden each homered during a ninc-run third inning, and Rhoden worked eight strong innings as the Pittsburgh Pirates outslugged the Cincinnati Reds. Rhosen, 2-4, took a five-hitter into the ninth inning when Cincinnati scored five

In late AL games on the west coast, Don Baylor's run-scoring single in the seventh inning snapped a 5-5 tie and the California Angels went on to down the Cleveland Indians

Julio Cruz's ninth-inning single knocked in pinch-runner Thad Bosley with the winning run, giving the Seattle Mariners a 3-2 victory over the Baltimore Orioles.

The Toronto Blue Jays downed the Texas Rangers 5-2, while the Milwaukee Brewers blasted the Chicago White Sox 8-3 in other AL encounters. In NL night actions, the Philadelphia Phillies extended their winning streak to six when they defeated San Francisco Giants 5-3, New York bested Los Angeles 6-4, Houston Astros beat Chicago Cubs 4-1, while St. Louis Cardinals prevailed over Atl-

Stars' fine display fails to keep Timbers at bay

TAMPA. Florida May 16 (AP) — The Portland Timbers topped the Tampa Bay Rowdies, 2-1, in a shootout in a North American Soccer League (NASL) contest

Saturday night. Referee Jack Sander awarded three penalty kicks, one of them during the shootout, in a game marred by six cautions and highlighted by Tampa Bay's Jurgen Stars of West Germany saving two penalty shots in 61/2

Ron Futcher of England, Dale Mitchell of Canada, Gary Collins and Willie DcHie of Scotland scored for timbers in the shontout. Mike Connell of South Africa and Wes McLeod of Canada scored for the Rowdies on regular shootout shots, while Yugoslavia-born Njego Pea converted a penalty kick called for fouls during the shootout.

Bill Irwin of Northern Ireland, the league's top goalkeeper, kept Portland in the I-I regulation game by turning away several sure goals as the Rowdies peppered Portland's! goal in the second half. Stars' amazing Performance began at 78:5, after Futcher was brought down in the penalty-box by Peter

Nogly of West Germany. Stars saved Scotland's John Bain's attempt twice, stopping the shot and then grabbing it inches from the goal line. At 85:22 Sander called Tampa Bay's John Gorman of Scotland for a hand ball in the penalty box. Futcher tried the penalty, but Stars smothered it. Futcher then had the Timbers regulation goal at 31:21 follwoing a corner

kick by Bain. The Rowdics tied it 1-1 at 7:03 when Nogly, covered with blood from a cut on his head, hit goalward, which was deflected. But Fernando of Brazil hit into the goal on the

rebound. Meanwhile, in Toronto, striker David Fairclough scored his first goal of the season Saturday to power the Thronto Blizzard to a 2-1 NASL overtime victory over their Eastern Division rival Montreal Manic.

Fairclough, 25, charged into the goal area as Toronto midfielder Jua: Carlos Milina of Argentina sent a cross in from the right

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The Toronto win snapped a two-game skid and improved its record to 6-3, while Montreal dipped to 4-4. Totonto scored early in the first half when Clyde Best of Bermuda, making his first start of the season, converted on a six-meter header with Montreal dipped to 4-4. Toronto scored early in the first half when Clyde Best of Bermuda, making his first start of the season, converted on a sixmeter header with Monrteal goalie Bob Righy out of position at 8:24.

Blizzard forward David Byrne of England had fired a ball off the crossbar and the rebound was served to Best Englishman Cliff Calvert. Montreal tied it 1-1 at 65:27 on a penalty kick by Alan Willey of England, his sixth goal of the season.

Forward-Branko-Segota from Canada and West German midfielder Bernd Holzenbein each scored a goal to give the Fort Lauderdale Strikers a 2-0 victory over the San Jose Earthquakes in another NASL action, in San

Segota's goal at 40:07 was unassisted, but Holzenbein had assists from Segota and midfielder Edi Kirschner (also Germany) on his

Aloma's Ruler bags Preakness

BALTIMORE, Maryland, May 16 (AP)

— Aloma's Ruler, ridden by 16-year-old Jack Kaenel, held off a stretch challenge by favored Linkage. ridden by 50-year-old Bill Shoemaker, and won Saturday's \$279,900 Preakness Stakes which was run without Kentucky Derby winner Gato del Sol.

Kaenel, known as "Cowboy" and the youngest Preakness jockey in modern times, put Aloma's Ruler on the lead shortly after the start and he led six other 3-year-olds roundthe Pimlico Oval.

Linkag was fourth entering the backstretch and third with a half mile to go. Then, Shoemaker moved him into contention as they turned for home, and although he made up record. His four-lap speed of 207,004 mph some ground, he could not catch the flying Aloma's Ruler, who earned his Preakness

start by winning the Withers Stakes at New

Wayne Larkins ... a breezy century

Higgins strikes

late to take lead

SHEFFIELD, England, May 16 (R) -

A stunning late burst gave Alek Higgins a

10-7 lead over fellow Briton Ray Reardon

at the halfway stage of their 35-frame World Professional Snooker Champions-

hip final here Saturday night. Higgins, who trailed 5-2 early on, sho-

wed the fighting qualities which broke Lundoner Jimmy White in the semifinals

by winning seven of the nine evening sess-

ion frames. Six times champion Reardon

had only himself to blame. He missed a

great chance to open up a three-frame lead in the 11th frame when leading 42-17

but missed an easy pink which allowed

former winner Higgins to recover to 5-6.

Frame scores (Higgins first): 61-41, 31-64, 47-84, 121-0, 53-64, 30-77,

55-65, 87-28, 89-8, 8-76, 56-47, 91-22,

INDIANAPOLIS, Indiana, May 16 (Agen-

cies) - Gordon Smiley, a 33-year-old Texan

trying to qualify for his third Indianapolis 500

race Saturday became the 55th person to be

He died when his March-Cosworth

crashed head-on into a cement retaining wall

on the third turn and disintegrated. Earlier in

the day in which 20 cars qualified for the

500-mile race on May 30, the Roger Penske

team of Kevin Cogan and Rick Mears broke

Penske, twice broke the lap record_of 203.602 mph (327.685) and averaged

204.082 mph (328.429), which beat the mark

set by Tom Sneva in 1978 of 202.156 mph

Minutes later. Mears, the 1979 Indy 500

winner, smashed Cogan's young record. He

the 2.5-mile (4.02 km) oval, the third at

207.612 mph (334.109 kph) becoming the

First Cogan, a 25-year-old newcomer with

all of the track's speed records.

drove three consecutive record

killed on the track since it was built in 1909.

Smiley dies on Indy track

books.

One Grand Prix.

asphalt.

ing a road race.

29-69, 69-4, 71-36, 94-14, 73-39,

York just one week ago. It had to be disappointing defeat for 77-year-old trainer Henry Clark, who had skip-ped the Derby after Linkage had beaten Gato del Sol in the Blue Grass Stakes April 22. Then, Gato del Sol became the first Derby winner not to start in the Preakness since Tomy Lee in 1959, Gato del Sol worked out at the Belmont park Saturday in preparation for the Belmont Stakes June 5.

The 11/2-mile Belmont now looms as a showdown between Gato del Sol and Aloma's Ruler who missed the Drby because he was sidelined by an injury. Aloma's Ruler earned \$209,900 from a purse of \$279,900, both Preakness records.

Parkar hits ton in Indian big total

BRADFORD. Yorkshire, May 16 (AFP) - The Indian tourists took advantage of a below-strength Yorkshire attack toembark on a highly-entertaining and, at times, blistering run spree here Saturday. The Indians declared at 376 for five.

In the four houts up to tea, controlled by their reserve opener, Ghulam Parkar, and inspired by their captain. Sunil Gavaskar, the Indians amassed 314 for three.

Yorkshire were weakened by the absence of Geoff Boycott, Chris Old and Arnold Sidebottom, following their South African venture. Unhappy with their three-year Test ban. all three made their presence at the

ground felt. Gavaskar tooked ohtivious to the demonstrations as he set out in search of a century before lunch. But, having slammed nine fours

and four sixes in a 95-minute stay for 79, the tourists look lunch at 151 for one and although they lost Ashok Mathotra for 22 in a calamitinus mix-up over a single to cover, their momentum was maintained. Gundappa Viswanath then enlivened the crowd with a

brisk 45 in an hour before giving 18-year-old

Mitch Taylor his first wicket on his Yorkshire

While wickets fell at one end, Parkar kept control at the other. He hit eleven fours in the first 100 which took five minutes under three hours. By tea he had moved to 146 not out and was only ten short of his career-best

Parkar's innings came to an end without addition in the first over after tea when he was caught at slip: by Bill Athey off the bowling of Whiteley. Yorkshire's torment was not over, however, as Yashpal Sharma. with a quickfire 48 not out, and Ravi Shastri (22) put on 59 for the fifth-wicket. When Shastri became Taylor's second victim Gavaskar declared at 376 for five, leaving

Kevin Sharp and Richard Lumb survived the period in relative comfort to take Yorkshire to 31 without loss. The County ending the day 345 behind. Sunday is a rest day, play resumes Monday.

Yorkshire fifty minutes at the crease.

As Middlesex cruises through

Somerset reels under Williams'spell

LONDON, May 16 (AP) — Neil Williams, a 19-year-old West Indian bowler playing only his third senior match, took three wickets for 31 Saturday to spearhead Middlesex's six-wicket triumph over Somerset in the Benson and Hedges Cup Cricket Competition at

Williams hit Somerset with a three for six in 12-ball burst - his victims included Viv Richards — and Somerset tumbled to 89 all out in 39.3 overs. Mike Gatting hit 29 not out and Wilf Slack contributed 26 as Middlesex reached the victory target for the loss of just

Der byshire also had a quick victory, defeating Minor Counties by eight wickets. Minor Counties made a creditable 201, but New Zealander John Wright (45). England allrounder Geoff Miller (88 not out) and South African Peter Kirsten (58) steered Derbysh-

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 16 (AP)-

Andy North, who hasn't won a tournament since the 1978 U.S. Open, fashioned a

3-under-par 67 Saturday to snatch a two-

stroke lead at the 54-hole mark of the

\$350,000 Colonial National Invitation Tour-

North was hotly pursued for the \$63,000

first place prize by Jack Nicklaus, young

Danny Edwards and Jerry Pate. Nicklaus,

who hasn't won a tournament in two years

and a non-winner here in 10 tries, struggled

to an even par 70 and was tied at 4-under 206

66. Former U.S. Open champion Pate bird-

ied the final hole for a 69. Succumbing to the

pressure of playing with Nicklaus was 36-hole leader Lennie Clements, who staggered

to a 75 and was six shots back at level par 210.
Tom Kite faded to a 4-over-par 74 and was at

(333.131 kph) also went into the record

Smiley's wife, Barbara, who was watching

the race, was placed under medical care in the

Race Track hospital. He was the second

driver in just over a week to be killed trying to

qualify for a major motor race. Canadian

driver Gilles Villeneuve died in similar fash-

ion last Saturday at Zolder, Belgium, in the

final qualifying run for the Belgian Formula

Smiley, who finished 25th and 22nd in the

past two Indianapolis 500 races, was entering

the third turn of the banked, oval race track

when he appeared to lose control of his car, a

March. The car slid sideways, smashed into

the cement wall and broke into pieces, some

of them landing hundreds of yards down the

It was the first fatal accident since 1973 at

the lamous racing track, where average qual-

ifying speeds have gone over 200 miles per

hour (320 kph) in recent years. David

"Swede" Savage died of injuries he received

in a fiery crash in the 1973 race and Art

Pollard was killed while racing in the qualify-

ing tests for that race.

The crash, during Smiley's second warm-

up lap, followed record-setting qualifying efforts by 1979 winner Rick Mears and his

Penske teammate Kevin Cogan. After the

accident, qualifying for the May 30 race was

suspended temporarily, while the wreckage

was cleared and the track surface repaired.

Parts of Smiley's car had left big gouges in the

Meanwhile, in Portrush, Northern Ireland,

Newbold, 32, crashed on the first lap of the

John Newbold, one of Britain's top motorcy-

cle racers, died Saturday after crashing dur-

annual North West 200 event. He died on the

same stretch of road as his former teammate

Tommy Herron, who was killed in crash two

Edwards had the day's best round with a

with Edwards and Pate.

hammered a century before lunch and went on to make 126 as his County recorded a 177-run victory over Scotland. Larkins was supported by South African Allan Lamb (81) as Northants piled up 259 for five and then

rshire opener Andy Stovold scored t23 of Gloucestershire's total of 300 for four against Combined Universities.

kshire were dismissed for 205.

Nicklaus shares second berth

North wrests advantage

Northamptonshire opener Wayne Larkins

dismissed the Scots for 82. Bob Woolmer hit S5 to steer Kent to five wicket triumph over Essex, while Glouceste-

A commanding fifth-wicket partnership of 125 between Kenyan Bastarat Hassan and New Zealander Richard Hadlee stood County champions Nottingbamshire in good stead as they reached 244 for seven and set up a 39-run success over Warwickshire. Hassan made an unbeaten 99 and Hadlee 70. Seamer Mike Hendrick took three for 19 as Warwic-

North went out in 1-under-par 34 and

came home in 33 on the backside. He made a

10-foot birdie patt on the 14th hole and

saved par by getting it up and down out of a bunker on 16. North then sank a 35-foot

snake on the final hole for birdie, raising his

arms in triumph before the ball disappeared

first time on the 10tb bole when he rolled in a

12-foot putt to go 5-under par as Clements faded and Nicklaus lost a shot by bogeying

In the women's event in Georgia veteran

Kathy Whitworth, seeking an all-time LPGA

record 83rd victory, shot a 4-under-par 68

and took a one-shot lead after the second round of the \$150,000 Lady Michelob Golf

Whitworth, who recorded ber 82nd victory

a month ago, is tied with one of women's

golf's all-time stars, Mickey Wright, at the

top of the LPGA victory list. The 42-year-old

Whitworth moved ahead of rookie Kelly

Fiuks and Julie Stanger Pyne, who had shared

Fuiks, who turned pro only 18 months ago,

bad a 70 Saturday and was alone in second

place at 6-under-par 138, one shot behind

Withworth. Pyne had a 71-139, and two

other players were at 140, Pat Bradley and

Barbara Moxness. Bradley, winless this sea-

son, got back into the hunt with a 68 and

Withworth had a bogey-free round. She

had her first birdie on the forth hole from four

feet, and got another when she sank a 15-

footer on the much green of the 5:123-yard Brookfield West Golf and Country Club

Course. Whitworth knocked in a 15-footer

on the 11th green and came back with a 25-

footer at No. 12 before parring in the rest of

Beverly Klass and Sue Ertl each fired 70s

for 141 totals and Janet Coles and Myra Van

In Tokyo, Taiwan's top woman golf profes-

sional Tu A-Yu overcame a strong challenge

from Japan's Ayako Okamoto in a sudden

death playoff and won the 20 million-yen

(\$85,000) World Ladies Golf Tournament.

yen (\$16,950) by sinking a two meter (seven

foot) birdie putt at the first extra hole. It was

started the final round of the 54-hole tourn-

The 27-year-old Tu, the overnight leader,

Tu clinched the first prize of four million

Hoose were deadlocked at 142.

her third triumph this season.

Moxness had her second consecutive 70.

the first-round lead with matching 68s.

North took the tournament lead for the

because he knew he was on target.

the ninth hole.

Tournament.

77) beat Hampshire 129. At Lord's: Somerset 98 Inst to Middlesex At Trent Bridge: Nnttinghamshite 244-7 Basharat Hassan 99 n.o., Richard Hadiee

70) Beat Warwickshire 205 (Geoff Hunipage 62, Asif Din 6t). At Glasgow: Northaniotonshire 254-5 Wayne Larkins 126, Allan Lumh 811 beat Scotland S2 (Sarfraz Nawaz 4-21).

Peter Kirsten 58).

180-5 (Bob Woolmer 55).

At Oxford: Gloucestershire 300-4 (Andy Stovnld 123) beat Combined Universities

216-8 (Derck Pringle 64).

[Lakers snatch all] 4 against Spurs

NEW YORK, May In (AP) - Farvin 'Magic' Johnson and Jamual Wilkies sank two free throws apiece and Boh McAdoo stole an inbound pass and scored in the final 17 seconds as the Los Angeles Lakers down the San Antonin Spurs 128-123 to advance to the National Basketball Association Championship series. The Lakers eliminated San Autonio in four straight games_

In the other match, Julius Erving score 19 points and Bobby Jones and Maurice Cheeks each added 18 as the Philadelphia 76crs beat the Boston Celtics 99-97 after almost blowing a 14-point fourth-quarier

The victory gave the 76ers a 2-1 lead in the best-of-seven Eastern Conference championship, which crintinues Sunday.

Australian wins 2nd stage of Tour of Italy

CORTONA, Italy, May 16 (AFP) - Michal Wilson of Australia won the second stage of the Tour of Italy in a sprint finish here Saturday.

The 22-year-old cyclist held off the dual challenge of new overall leader Laurent Fignon of France and Wifio Vandi of Italy in a desperate race to the finishing line, to haul himself into third place in the overall standi-

Fignon's second place ensued that he became the third Frenchman to wear the leader's pink jersey, after Saturday's 232 kilometet tage from Viareggio, He also continued the Renault-Gitane team's dominance of the event so far, as he followed teaminates Bem - who won the time-trial in Milan - and Patrick Bonnet - who won the official opening stage from Parma to Viarctoin - into pole position.

Hinault and Sweden's Tommi Prim kepta watchful eye an their progress and joined them at the 70 km mark, but as the field entered Vhianti country, the race openedout vet again as Saronni of Italy now second overall joined the breakaway group, and soon appeared to have the stage at his mercy.

The challenge, however, faded, as did those of Hinault and Franceco Moser of Italy. leaving the field open for Wilson. Fignon and Vandi to storm through.

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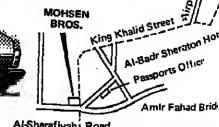
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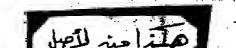














Biggs is super heavyweight champ

Cuban pugilists steal the show

MUNICH, West Germany, May 16 (AFP) Cuban boxing supremacy was maintained at the World Amateur Championships here Saturday with five victories in the 12 finals. The Soviets and Americans won three gold medals each.

The Cubans also took five golds and a silver at the 1978 World Champinnships in Belgrade and six gold medals at the 1980 Moscow Olympics. Armando Martinez was the only Cuban finalist to be beaten, losing his light middleweight final on a majority decision to the Soviet European champion Alexander Koschkin in a reversal of the 1980 Moscow Olympic final.

Double Olympic champion Angel Herrera won his second world utle beating Pernell Whitaker of the United States on a majority decision. A third round knock down probably decided the lightweight final in the Cuban's favor.

Bernardo Comas bad his third win inside the distance at these championships stopping Finland's 1978 silver medallist Tarmo Uusivirta in the third round of their middleweight

The latest Cuban prodigy, 17 year-old Carlos Garcia, had a unanimous points win over Dong Kil Kim of South Korea in the welterweight final, while Adolfo Horta added another title to bis collection. He won the featherweight final very much as he pleased against a Mongolian, Ravsal Otgonbayar.

Horta was bantamweight (54kgs) world champion in 1978, lightweight champion in the 1979 PanAmerican Games and Olympic featherweight silver medallist two years ago. Pablo Romero took the light heavyweight title for Cuba with a unanimous decision over Poland's Pavel Skrecz.

The Americans outscored the Soviets 2-1

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in the three finals opposing boxers from either country met. Highly-fancied 19-year-old welterweight Mark Breland had an emphatic points win over double Europeanchampion Serik Konakbayev.

Konakbayev had a lot of experience on his side. He had beaten another American. Lemuel Steeples, in the 1979 World Cup final in New York and, besides his two European titles, he won a silver medal at light welterweight at the 1980 Moscow Olympics. However, he could not match the fast, fluent skills of the American, Saturday.

Four of the five judges gave Yuri Alexand-rov as winner over Michael Collins in the flyweight final but Floya Favors edged the 1981 European title-holder Viktor Miroschnichenko 3-2 in the bantamweight final. The Soviet was Olympic flyweight silver medallist

The final American victory came from super heavyweight Tyrell Biggs who defeated Italy's European Champion Francesco Damiani. The Italian had beaten the legendary triple Olympic champion Teofilo Stevenson of Cuba in the first round.

Alexander Yagubkin of the Soviet Union beat East Germany's Jurgen Fanghaenel in a repeat of last year's European heavyweight

Spain gears up to counter ETA threat

MADRID, Spain, May 16 (AP) — Spain braced itself Saturday for possible terrorism following threats from a Basque separatist organization, but the brighter picture of the 1982 World Soccer Cup, which Spain is bosting, appeared to prevail.

Spain's two largest cities, Madrid and Barcelona and the Northern Basque region remained under an armed forces alert following an ulumatum by Basque separatists. But the Spanish national team put aside thoughts of terrorism and boycotts and continued training for the World Cup, due to start here June 13 and end July 11.

The armed forces were placed on alert in Madrid and Barcelona after a vow Friday by the Basque separatist organization ETA to begin military objective," in northern

ETA was demanding the withdrawal of all national security forces from the troubled Basque region by Sunday.

Hidalgo's likely 22 Meanwhile, Michel Hidalgo, trainer of the French national soccer team, on Sunday announced the provisional 22-man team be plans to take to Spam.

The players will begin training as a team this Wednesday in the Pyrenees mountain town of Font-Romeau in an altitude of 2,000 meters (6,500 feet). Baring accidents or replacements, the 22 players will represent France at the World Cup. The definitive official French team is to be announced June 6,

Goalkeepers: Dominique Baratelli (Paris S.G.), Jean Castaneda (St. Etienne), Jean-Luc Ettori (Monaco).

Defenders: Manuel Amoros (Monaco), Patrick Battiston (St. Etienne), Max Bossis (Nantes), Gerard Janvion (St. Etienne), Christian Lopez (St. Etienne), Philippe Mahut (Metz), Marius Tresor (Bordeaux).

Midfielders: Bernard Genghini (Socbaux), Rene Girard (Bordeaux), Alain Giresse

(Bordeaux), Jean Francois Larios (St. Etienne), Michel Platini (St. Etienne), Jean Tig-.ana (Bordeaux).

Forwards: Bruno Bellone (Monaco), Alain Couriol (Monaco), Bernard Lacombe (Bordeaux). Dominique Rocheteau (Paris SG). Didier Six (Stuttgart), Gerard Soler (Bordeaux).

In Manama, the prospect of seeing many matches live on television is deterring inhabitants of Gulf states from making the arduous journey to Spain.

Even though one Gulf state, Kuwait, is among the 24 qualifiers and is making every effort to ensure it does well, package holidays to Spain for the tournament have found few

In Bahrain various packages are available, with prices ranging from 800 dinars (\$2,120) for 16 days with balf-board to 2,334 dinars (\$6,185) for an all-inclusive holiday lasting until the final.

victory, says Bob Paisley Our proudest

LONDON, May 16 (AFP) - "This was our proudest championship win and the most difficult because I had to put five or six new players in the side," said Liverpool manager

Paisley made this comment after his teambeat Tottenham Hotspur 3-1 at Anfield Saturday to clinch the English First Division Soccer Championship for the 13th time and the fifth in seven years.

"As ruthless as I am there is got to be a little bit of sentiment and I was ordered to leave out established players and let some of them leave the club. Others were saying I should let this one go and that one go, but the hardest part was knowing when to get the youngsters in after their educatioo."

The changes certainly paid off and of Saturday's twelve strong squad Bruce Grobbelaar, Mark Lawrenson, Ronnie Whelan, Sammy Lee, Ian Rush and substitute Graig Johnston all collected championship medals for the first time. That fact underlines Paisley's achievement.

At the turn of the year Liverpool were twelfth in the First Division, but they have since lost only two league games: "We have

had the sort of run you dream about," added

All stemmed from the 3-1 home defeat on Boxing Day by Manchester City. "Kids from infant schools wouldn't bave let in goals like we did on that day," added the "Reds" man-

Welsb stiker Iao Rush, who hit thirty goals in his first full season commented, "It's fabulous. I can't believe it has really happened. Ipswich manager Bobby Robson said, "It's a bit of heart-breaker again, but let's not forget we have finished second two years running. That can't be bad from 22 teams. We have had a good year, we have done well and you can't take that away from the players

just because we were pipped,"
Basically the title goes to the most consistent team, and, at least this year, that is probably true of Liverpool."

Sportingly, Robson did not mention critical injuries to his key players, including his midfield Dygamo, Frans Thijssen of Holland.

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Germain records maiden Cup triumph the history of the French Cup, designed to alleviate the need for a replay which would

PARIS, May 16 (AFP) - In a dramatic battle to the finish in one of the longest Cup final on record, Paris St. Germaio won the first trophy in their nine-year history here Saturday when they lifted the French Cup after a penalty playoff with St. Etienne.

It was hardly a classic encounter, but it lacked nothing in heroism, as Paris took the lead, lost it and came back with a goal in almost the last minute of extra-time to take the game to the first penalty sbootout in the history of the competition, which they won

The match had lasted 3 hours 20 minutes and at one stage, as hundreds of overenthusiastic supporters invaded the pitch with President François Mitterand and his main political opponent Jacques Chirac, the Mayor of Paris, looking on from the presidential box, it became doubtful whether the final would be finished at all.

France's final World Cup qualifying match here against Cyprus last November also ended with an invasion by the crowd and obviously something will have to be done before France stages the European Champi-

onship in two years. . It took the police half an hour to clear the pitch so the deciding penalties could be taken, after each side had scored with all five kicks, St. Etienne captain Christian Lopez

Nuremberg

Pilorget, the chance to win the match. And be did just that, hammering in his kick. It was the second time in five days Paris had to play extra-time, before winning on penalties. Their semifinal with Tours was also decided on a shootout.

fitting finale to his career in French football before his impending transfer to Juventus of

that the match went into extra-time, and nine minutes into the extra period shot St. Edenne ahead. Everything pointed to a St. Etienne victory, but another French international star, Dominique Rocheteau, stole Platini's glory by equalizing and sending the match to

The pitch invasion was good bumored but somewhat embarrassing for Federation President Fernand Sastre sitting next to President

Ooce the pitch had been cleared, the stage

stepped up and sbot against the legs of the

the scoring for Paris in the 58th minute, but from then on it appeared as if the match would provide St. Étienne's Michel Platini a

Italy.

He equalized in the 76th minute to ensure

its dramatic conclusion.

Paris goalkeeper Dominique Baratelli. That gave the Paris stopper, Jean-Marc

Platini strikes'
The Chadian, Nabatingue Toko, opened

was set for the first competition of its kind in

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have interfered with the plans of the national squad in their build-up for the World Cup. The defeat means St. Etienne, runners-up in the league, will play in the UEFA cup next

Rossi, Cabrini attacked Meanwhile, two of Italy's World Cup squad, Paulo Rossi and Antonio Cabrini. were attacked by opposing supporters when they arrived in Catanzaro Saturday with their team Juventus for Sunday's league game aga-

inst Catanzaro. An estimated 3,000 Catanzaro fans were at the local airport when Juventus flew in. Some waved banners with slogans like "Rossi in prison. You and Juventus should be thrown

in the gutter". Striker Rossi, who has recently been rehabilitated following alleged involvement in a bribery scandal, was punched twice. Cabrini, a defender, was twice knocked to the ground. Dino Zoff, the Turin team's veteran international goalkeeper, bad to be rescued by police

when a dozen angry people surrounded him. The Italian First Division matches, the last of the season, will be crucial in deciding the championship. Juventus are on equal points at the top of the table with Fiorentina, who visit relegation-threatened Sardinian club Cagliari.

Ajax champs
Ajax Amsterdam won the Dutch football

league title for the 20th time by beating champions AZ'67 Alkmaar 3-2 in the Olympic Stadium, Hague, Saturday.

Ajax needed only one point from their final two games to clinch the championship but Saturday's victory ensured the title with a match to play. The triumph belongs almost entirely to Johan Cruyff who came back out of semi-retirement in December. Ajax have won 14 and drawn two matches since he came back and not only carried off the league but also wiped clear an overdraft of around \$600,000.

Cruyff, who led Ajax three European championship titles in early 1970s before leaving for Barcelona and then New York Cosmos, said after the match he would be staying on next year. The win gave them the Honor Division title for the 20th time.



Franz Beckenbauer... for UEFA final

Beckenbauer likely to strengthen Hamburg

HAMBURG, West Germany, May 16 (AFP) - Hamburg's star international defender. Franz Beckenbauer, is likely to be included in the team to face Gothenb urg of Sweden in the UEFA Cup final second leg here on Wednesday. Hamburg's coach Ernst Happel said Sunday.

The 36-year-old Beckenhauer has recovered from a kidney complaint and Happel is keen to field the hest possible ream in order to overturn Gothenhurg's single goal advantage from the first leg, which the Swedish outlit won 1-0,

Before quelling Simonsson's challenge

Vitas drops opening set

American Vitas Gerulaitis scored an expected win over young Swede Stefan Simonsson in the final of the \$75,(IIII) Roger and Gallet Open Tennis Tournament Sunday.

But the Swede did not give in without a fight. Simonsson, who had eliminated Italian Adriano Panatta and Frenchman Pascal Portes, and Yugoslav Marco Ostaja - who had upset top-seeded Jose-Luis Clerc of Argentina - before making the final grade, took a set off Gerulaitis before bowing out 4-6, 6-3.

Vitas, a heavy favorite to win the final on the clay courts of the Cascine Tennis Club of Florence, advanced to the final with an easy 6-2, 6-0 victory over Italian Gianluca Rinald-

ini.
Meanwhile, Treacy Austin, the reigning U.S. Open champion, won the women's singles' title at the \$200,000 Gunze World Tennis Tournament Sunday, defeating Kathy Jordan, also of the United States, 6-3, 6-1 at the Kobe city's Gymnasium.

It was the 19-year-old Austin's second victory in the annual Japanese event. She first won it in 1978 when she beat Martina Navratilova of the United States 6-1, 6-1. For her victory Austin carned \$30,000 and Jordan received \$15,000.

Austin also won the women's doubles' title with Pam Shriver in Tokyo last Thursday, heating Jordan and Leslie Allen 7-5, 6-4, in the all-American final. She and Shriver split the \$10,000 first prize money.

India's Vijay Amritraj, who surprised top-seeded Ivan Lendl of Czechoslovakin in the semifinals, won the men's singles crown when American opponent Sandy Mayer,

World XV unimpressive BRISBANE, Australia, May 16 (AP) dream. It was high quality rugby and outstan-

Captain Mark Loane and breakaway Tony Shaw led the Queensland Rughy Union team to a 38-24 victory over World XV at Ballyinore Sunday before a crowd of 12,600.

Queensland scored six tries to four, capitalizing on the fact the World XV was a scratch side drawn from eight nations, World XV skipper. Ireland Test Veteran Moss Keane said his players gave the game everything they had. Oueensland led 16-10 at halftime and never looked in danger.

New Zealand's crack winger Du Wilson played out of position at center but could look back on the match with pride while Japanese winger Masuru Fijuwara was at his elusive best. His crash trackling of his more robust opponent. Brendan Moon, was one of the highlights of the match.

Other visitors to shine were New Zealand forwards Frank Oliver and Rod Ketels while France's master fullback Jean-Michel Aguirre gave glimpses of his flair.

Queensland Rugby Union secretary Terry Doyle described the match as "a promoter's

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ding entertainment for the crowd-with some of the world's best players on display," he said.

Queensland 38 (Peter Grigg 2, Michael O'Connor, Roger Gould, Andrew Slack, Bill Ross Tries, Paul McLean 4 goals, 2 pen goals) beat World XV 24 (Chimere Okezi, U.S; Masuru Fijuwara, Japan: John Fowler, U.S.; Steve Streeter NSW; tries, Jean Aguirre, France goal 2 pen goals).

Meanwhile, the on-off-on tour of Zimhabwe by Welsh Rugby Union club Swansea is expected to start on schedule on Wednesday. despite the last minute doubts about arrangements. The tour was first threatened with cancellation because two of Swansea's players had been in a tour of South Africa.

Zimbabwe's government recently reconsidered their cancellation decision and granted full permission for the full Swansea team to play here, after the two players in question. fullback Mark Wyart and center Allan Donovan, signed statements that they would not play in South Africa again. . .

ion when he sprained his left ankle. The Indian was leading 3-1 in the first set.

Amritraj who became the first Asian plaver to win the singles' title, won \$30,000 and Mayer \$15,000. But with his partner Mayer out of the competition. Amritraj missed a chance to win in the men's doubles' title. Brian Teacher of the United States and Mark Edmondson of Australia took the title by default. They won \$5.000 each, while Amritraj and Mayer each received \$2.500.

In Tulsa, Oklahoma, top-seeded Johan Krick, questioning calls and arguing with fans, survived a tiebreaker in the first set but did not win another game as John Sadri took 6-7, 6-0, 6-0, semifinal victory in the \$120,000 Bank of Oklahoma Tennis Classic

Kriek, a 24-year-old South African who resides in Naples, Florida, rushed from the court to a waiting car and caught a flight to Rome, where he plays in the Italian Open Monday, "I though it was fun," Sadri said. The crowd was getting it. I just wish Krick hadn't-gotten-so mad at himself."

Shlomo Glickstein used his passing shot to negate Roscoe Tanner's hoonling serve and won the other semilinal match, n-4, 6-3, Sadri meets Clickstein in the final of the annual tournament Sunday in the first match between the players.

Jose Higueras of Spain swept American Gene Mayer 6-2, 6-2, 6-2 Saturday to gain a herth in the final of the \$250,000 German Open tennis Tournament.

Higueras will go against defending champion Peter McNamara in Sunday's tinal. The Australian reached the linal by downing Andreas Goniez of Ecuador 7-5, 6-1, 6-2,

Chris Everi-Lloyd of the U.S won the \$100,000 women's Tennis Grand Prix Fournament in Lugano, Switzerland, Sunday defenting 16-year-old Andrea Temesvari of Hungary 6-0, 6-3 in the final. The world's No. I ranked player needed only 82 minutes to secure victory, but Temesvari, ranked 60, can feel happy with the way this tournament

BRIEFS

BALTIMORE, Maryland, tAP1 - World welterweight champion Sugar Ray Leonard was released from the Wilmer Eye Institute here Sunday morning in "excellent" condition, one week after undergoing surgery for a detached retina. A spokesman at the hospital said Leonard was released at 8 a.m. and that his doctor described his condition as "excell-

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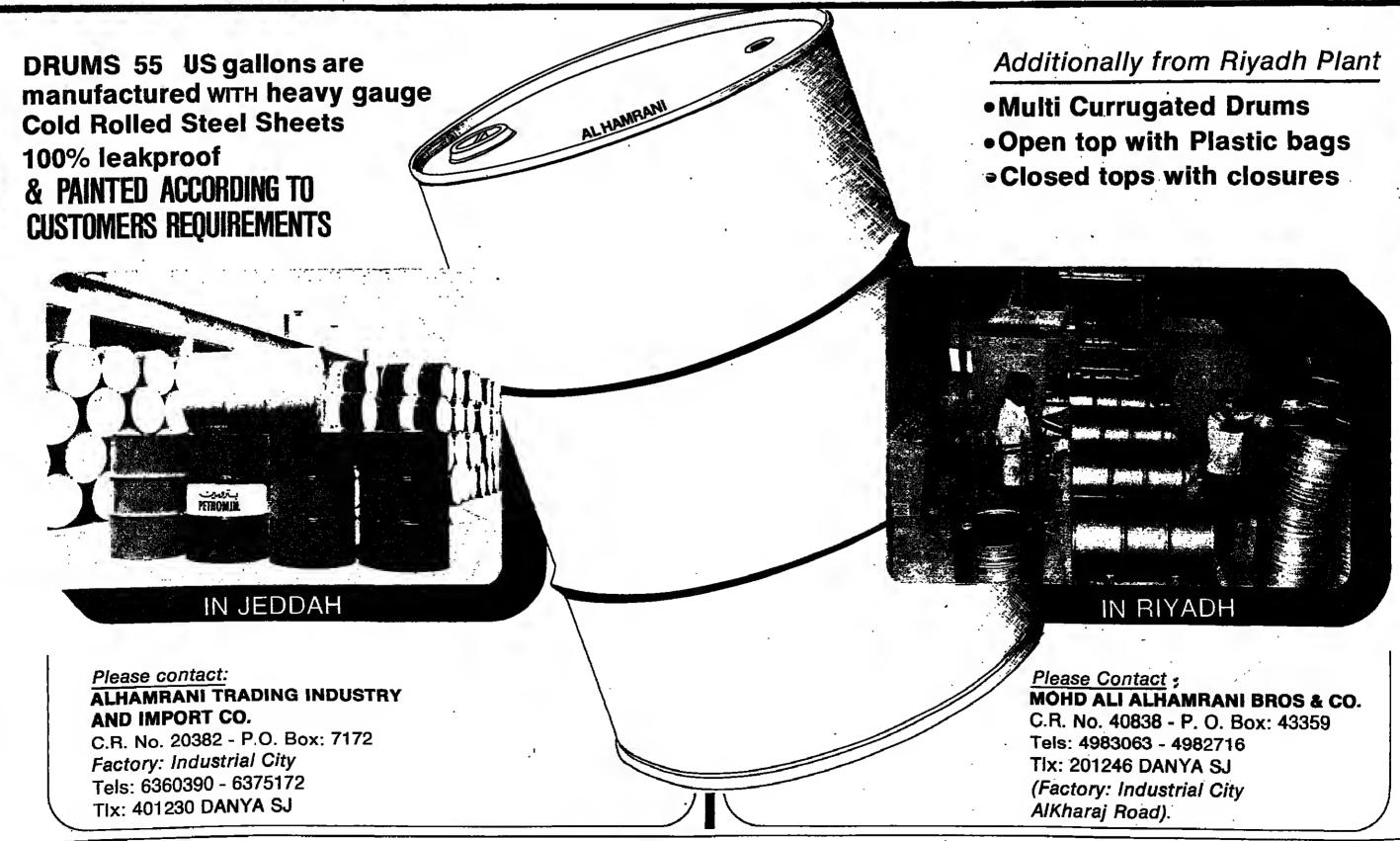
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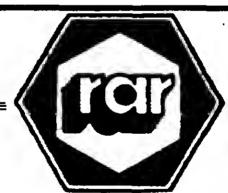
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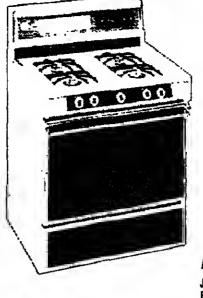
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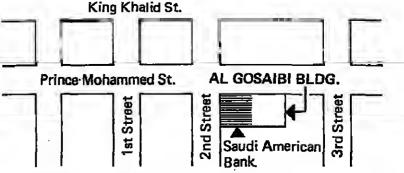


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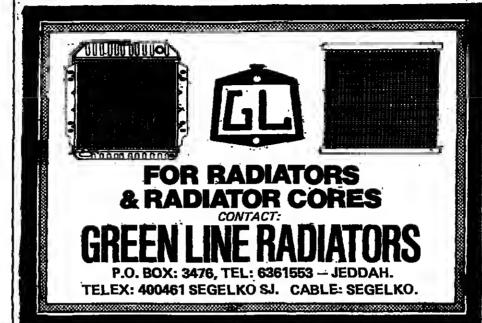
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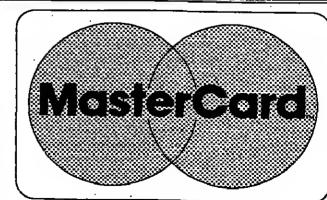
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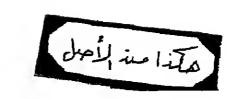
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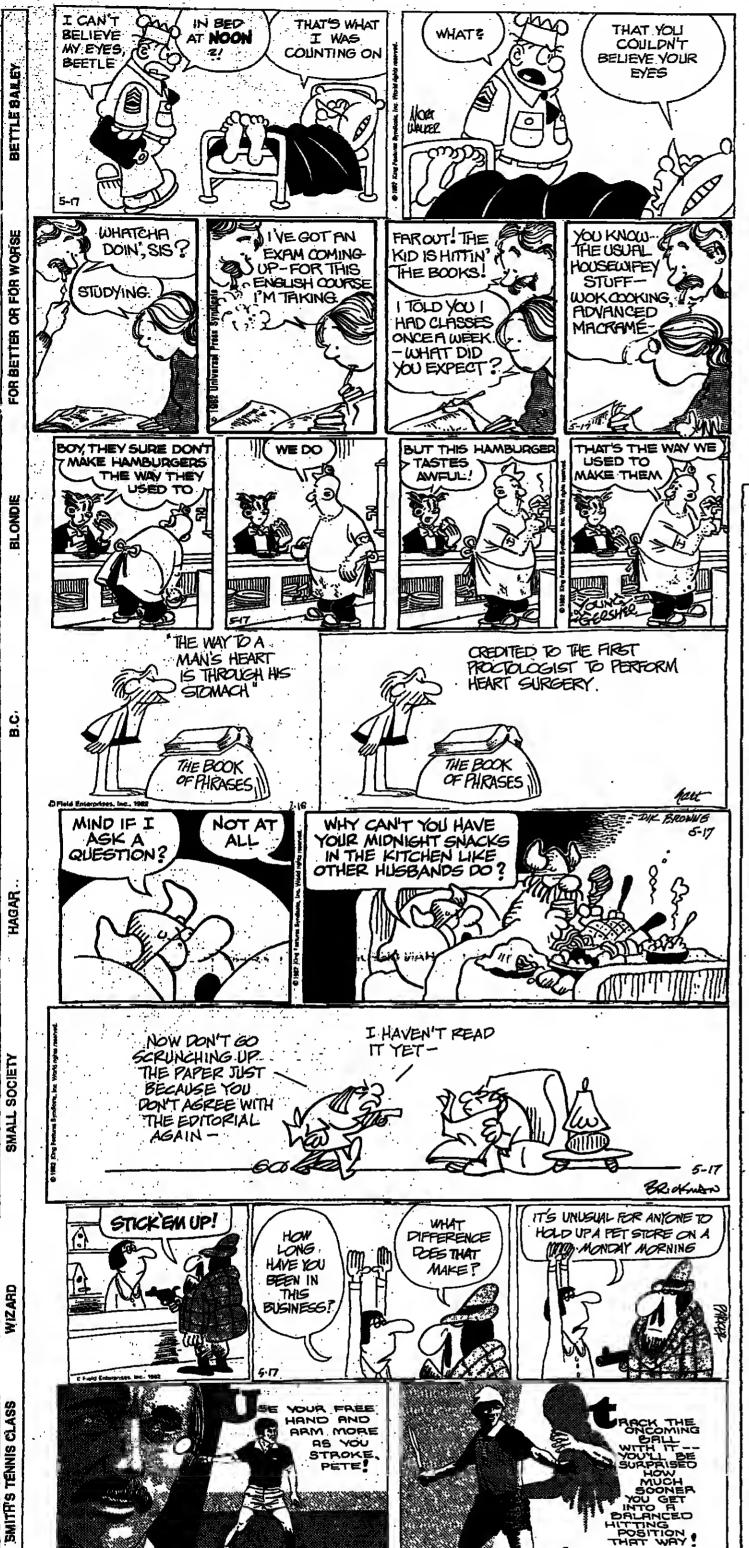
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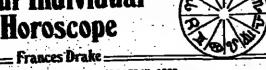
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friends. A small difference of opinion with a higher-up is possible. Avoid succumbing to self-indulgence. (June 21-to July 22)

Private chats related to career interests meet with success, but be sure to follow through on promises made to. others.

(July 23 to Aug. 22) A (Sur 23 to Aug. 22)

Join Friends at a movie or a cultural event. Your thinking may be erratic in regard to a business venture. Avoid indecisiveness. VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Listen carefully to a loved

one or you may miss the import of the conversation. Business talks will bring you minor gains now. LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)

You may be especially creative now, though a mildly deceptive note could affect financial dealings. Performance at work may be meven.

SCORPIO m X (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Sign up for a course related to job interests. If you don't try to have a good time now, you may waste time later in pursuit of pleasure.

Take up a creative pastime.

(Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

above disagreements with a loved one and make plans to go out together for a romantic even-

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19)
You'll meet with some misunderstandings now, but a loved one seems to understand your point of view. A friend tends to boast. **AQUARIUS**

(Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) Artistic people will find this a productive period, but you could make a faulty decision when shopping. Try not to be wasteful.

(Feb. 19 to Mar. 20) PISCES You could have some misconceptions concerning a business matter. Others may not be as straightforward as you are. Buy yourself a gift.

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DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE - Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXR

is LONGFELLOW One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different. CRYPTOQUOTES

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The bidding:

South West North East Pass 3 🏶 4NT Pass 5♦ 7NT

Opening lead - seven of spades.

This hand was played many years ago in the annual Intercollegiate Bridge Championship. Par for North-South was to bid and make seven notrump. South should surely undertake the grand slam after learning that North has the only missing ace. Thirteen tricks in notrump seem virtually certain.

But if South gets careless during the play he fails in his mission — and that's what happened to many of the

declarers who got to seven .qomrdon

The first test comes at trick one when declarer must win the spade lead in dummy with the ace. He then cashes the queen of spades, discarding the ace of bearts! He next cashes the K-Q-J of hearts.

discarding the A-K-Q of clubs!
When declarer now leads
the jack of clubs, East following suit with the ten, dummy's clubs all become tricks and South easily makes the grand

slam. But let's suppose declarer plays the hand in less spectacular fashion by winning the spade lead with the king, and trying to run his diamonds. In

that case he goes down one. South's first five plays are certainly unusual, but they il-lustrate an important princi-ple of card play. When dummy appears, South sees that the contract is certain unless the diamonds are divided 4-0.

To guard against this, he plays his cards in the manner indicated. If the diamonds prove to be divided 2-2 or 3-1, no harm accrues from his having discarded the ace of hearts and A-K-Q of clubs early in the

But if, as in the actual case, it turns out that the diamonds are divided 4-0, South gives himself an extra chance by hoping that dummy's clubs may prove useful. The fact that East's ten of clubs falls on dummy's jack is merely poetic justice.

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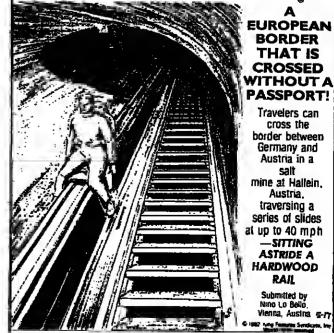
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International



U.S., Greece reach consensus on

ATHENS. May 16 (Agencies) - The United States and Greece have reached a "consensus of view" on the issue of U.S. bases which the seven-month old Greek Socialist government wants dismaniled, Secretary of State Alexander Haig said Sunday at the close of a 24-hour visit.

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Before he left. Haig said that no date had been fixed for a resumption of negotiations on the future of the four bases: A telecom-

16 unionists fast in Poland

WARSAW, May 16 (R) - Sixteen interned leaders and advisers of the suspended Solidarity trade union have begun a hunger strike at the Bialoleka prison near Warsaw, a close relative of one of the strikers said.

He said 16, including veteran dissident and Solidarity adviser Jacek Kuron and the union's former national spokesman Janusz Onyszkiewicz, began their protest at the prison's section 4 on Thursday, which marked five months of martial law. Others among more than 150 Solidarity internees in other parts of the prison were also believed to have joined the indefinite fast, he said.

The hunger strike, which had been announced in advance in underground Solidarity bulletins, was called to protest martial law and in support of church proposals for a national dialogue and conciliation between society and the authorities. Family memhers were told that regular monthly visits to those involved were suspended until the strike was over. Jail authorities were not accepting parcels for them and said the men were under the care of doctors.

Others on the hunger strike included seven members or former members of Solidarity's national commission. Among them was Karol Modzelewski, one of the brains behind

the union and the originator of its name. About 2,000 persons are being held in internment camps and prisons throughout Poland. The authorities released 1.000 persons at the end of April, when they also eased martial law restrictions.

Pakistan envoys named

ISLAMABAD. May 16 (AP) - Pakistan on Sunday named new ambassadors to the United Nations, India, France. China and Libya. Sardar Shahnawaz, currently permanent secretary-general of the Foreign Affairs Ministry, was named amhassador to the United Nations. Shahnawaz will he replaced by current U.N. envoy Niaz Ahmad Naik.

Riaz Piracha, permanent foreign secretary. was named ambassador to India and Jamsheed K.A. Marker, present ambassador to the Soviet Union was named ambassador to France. Maqbool Ahmad Bhatti, a carrer diplomat, will be ambassador to China, and S.A. Moid was named ambassador to Libya.

munications and an air base near Athens and a naval and second telecommunications on the island of Crete.

The secretary of state had five hours of talks with Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou in which they arrived at a "positive framework for solving long-standing and difficult questions, including defense matters and improving U.S.-Greek relations, he said.

Haig said his visit exemplified the impor-tance which the United States attached to its links with Greece whose role in preserving peace and stability on NATO's southern

flank was "vital." The secretary of state, who went to Turkey before coming here, said the Greek-Turkish dispute over part of the Aegean Sea should be settled within the NATO framework but "on a bilateral basis." "As a marter of princi-ple, the United States rejects any use of force

to resolve disputes," he added.

Commenting on Greece's request for the
United States to guarantee the GreekTurkish frontier. Haig said this was also a problem which should be solved by the two countries within NATO. He said letters on the subject exchanged by the Greek and U.S. governments were still in State Department

On Cyprus. Haig said the United States favored continued inter-community talks under United Nations auspices. Haig did not rule out a possible meeting between President Ronald Reagan and Papandreou at next month's NATO summit to be held in Bonn. But he said that for the present, President Reagan's only scheduled meeting on bilateral matters was with West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt.

Papandreou said he is ready to negotiate the future of the bases taking into consideration Greece's national and defense interests. In return for the use of the bases, Greece wants modern weapons, including a sophisticated surveillance system to monitor planes entering its air space in the Aegean.

It also wants a U.S. defense commitment guaranteeing the eastern Greek border from outside attack - an oblique reference to Turkey with whom Greece is at odds over territorial rights and air space control in the

Durban yacht missing

DURBAN, May 16 (AFP) - Seven young South African treasure hunters, two Australian crowmen and a New Zealand skipper are believed to be missing at sea, The Sunday Times reported. Their 20-meter yacht Kotahitanga - bound for a reef in the Mozambique channel - has not been heard or seen for 10 days.

The yacht sailed from Durban May 1, to hunt for The Santiago, a ship which sank in 1895 on a voyage from Lisbon to Goa. Port authorities at Richards Bay on the northsouth African coast have launched a search after being alerted that the yacht was overBiggest expedition ever attempted by man

Indians first to trek 8,000 kms Himalayan route

NEW DELHI, May 16 (AFP) - They saw dead men in the snow. Snakes hissed on their path. Wild horses chased them, wild cats ate up their rations, and a month-old pup became their constant companion.

Four men from the Indian Army have become the first humans to traverse the 8,000-kilometer route of the great Himalavan range from Gilling, a small hamlet in India's Argunachal Pradesh in the east bordering Tibet, to the desolate Karakoram pass in western Ladakh, bordering China.

"We cannot express in words what we saw ... It was fantastic," said 28-year-old Capt. H.S. Kohli, the leader of the team that flew in here Thursday night after a 17month journey.

Flanked by senior Indian military officials and by their mascot Druk, meaning dragon in the Bhutanes language, now a 15month-old dog who sat majestically on a chair, the four men narrated their tale in the wilderness for journalists.

"We thought we were dead several times . Once Capt. H. Chauhan - a 30-year-old bachelor — was completely buried by an avalanche." Capt. Kohli said. The trek, which begon on Jan. 15 1980, was sponso-led by the Indian Army and has been descr-ibed by moustaineers as the "biggest exped-ition in the world ever attempted by man."

As they stumbled upon several dead bodies partially covered by snow, they found that some had unluckily trod the same trial before them. Capt. Kohli said they noted details that might help identify the corpses and added: "But for us they would have remained unknown, and perhaps unsung."

On the second leg of the journey they confronted snakes. "It was difficult to know what type of snakes they were but they were fairly big and crossed our path several times." Capt. Kohli said. He said wild borses chased them at the entrance to the dragon kingdom of Bhutan and their rations were once gobbled up by wild cats, "They look as ferocious as rigers. He ever, they seemed more interested in the food than in us," he added.

One thing Capt. Kohli said they did not see was stone-age people, despite a report distributed by an Indian news agency. He said they did see a group of scantily clad men and women. "They were certainly a little rusted. They ran away when they saw

sive floods left 450,000 persons marooned in

Qingyuan and Yingde, the worst-hit coun-

us, but they were not from the stone-age era," he said.

Straddling the old silk route to Yarkand. as Chinese Turkestan is known, the climbers skirted Pangong, the world's largest lake, on the Chinese border and then crossed the snow-clad, 6.050 meter high Prangla pass on the first leg of their expedition.

They found Druk on the first lef of their journey. "When we came out of our tent after a night's sleep, we saw a small dog. It was one monthold. We gave him chocolate and he ate. We packed up and started, the dog also started following us. We agreed and kept bim in one of our bags," Capt. Kohli said. Druk grew with them and the army has decided to adopt him.

"He will be sent to one of our high altitude bases... He cannot stay in New Delhi, Capt. Kohli said as Druk, unaware of what was going on, blinked at the television lights and went on licking the ice slab provided to

belp him face the wilning beat here.

The team took 70 days to cross the leechinfested thick monsoon jungle of Arunachal Pradesb. The expedition entered Bhutan on March 26 and Sikkim a month later. They

kilometers of the roadbed of the major

Peking-Canton railway had been washed

crossed the Indo-Nepal border last June ty at Rotong La (5.545 meters) near the world's third highest peak, Kanchenjunga, From there they moved southward to cross the Borun glacier and reach the base camp of the world's fourth highest peak. Makalu, on July 25. They crossed three famous and difficult passes -- Sherpani at 7.060 meters, West Col at 7,156 meters,

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The team, with only simple mountaineering gear, climbed the 7,750-meter high peak on Aug. 8 last year. After crossing the scarcely populated areas of Labaul and Spiti, the team entered the frontier district of Ladakh in the state of Jammu and Kashmir in mid-February on the last log of their

and Amphu Labtsal at 6,060 mcters - bef-

ore reaching the base camp at Mount Ever-

They crossed 48 major passes and 24 glaciers during the journey. Team members used eight pairs of trekking boots and lost about 20 percent of their body weight. The team included Nepalese-born Nar Bahadur Gurung, 35, and Sherpa Nima Dorji of Darjeeling in West Bengal state, both expert climbers of the Indian Army.

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HONG KONG, May 16 (AFP) - The death toll from widespread river floods now sweeping the northwest of Communist China's Guangdong province has soared to 385, according to Chinese media reports

Canton radio said that 250 persons were killed by the raging waters in the Shaoguang and Shaoqing areas. It said 75 persons died in Yingde county and the Chinese press said another 60 were killed in Qingyuan county. Affecting 1.5 million persons and submerg-

airdrop 231.000 pounds of biscuits and a the two worst-hit counties, the radio said.

BELGRADE. May 16 (AFP) — Milka Planinc, 58, became Yugoslavia's first female head of government Sunday as the new federal executive council took office. The Parliament also invested Stambolic as head of the collective presidency which functions as Yugoslavia's "head of state".

Mrs. Planine was the seventh head of govwhen the Socialist regime i by the late President Josip Broz Tito. She succeeds Veselin Djuranovic, who served out his full four-year term, and observers said her nomination was a continuation of the predominance of Communist Party members over technocrais as Yugoslav government

As Diuranovic was leader of the party in his home district of Montenegro before heading the government. Mrs. Planine led the party in Croatia. Also like Djuranovic, she was a member of the collective presidency of

large amount of clothing to flood victims in New Yugoslav cabinet takes office the Communist League (party). But she

played a much larger role there due to the

importance of Croatia in the federation and

the difficult problems caused by Croatia's

relationship with Serbia. Mrs. Planine established her reputation in Zaereb, the capital of Croatia, as a fierce opponent of local "nationalism", especially after the ouster of several Croatian leaders

following the "nationalist" crisis of 1971. The appointment of Lazar Mojsov, as foreign affairs minister and Stane Dolanc as interior minister also showed the influence of the party. Mrs. Moisov headed the Communist League from 1979-80 and then served on the party's collective presidency with Dolanc, considered one of the country's most powerful figures.

Stambolic, 70, the new head of the narion's collective presidency, had been vice president of the body since 1981. He succeeds

As one of the countries greatly dependent

on a single agricultural crop, sugar, for much of its foreign revenue the Dominican

Republic faces hard times ahead and a period

of austerity is expected whoever wins. In a

good year the country, which shares the Caribbean island of Hispanola with Hairi,

barely makes enough money from sugar sales

the results of the vote and called on all politi-

The armed forces have pledged to respect

to pay for its oil import needs.

cal parties to do the same.

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Dominican Republic alerts troops the country's grave economic problems.

SANTO DOMINGO. Dominican Republic. May 16 (R) — Troops were on ateri as Dominicans voted Sunday to elect a new government which most surveys predict will be headed by Salvador Jorge Blanco of the ruling Dominican Revolutionary Party

Sen, Jorge Blanco, a liberal, is tipped to win 47 percent of the vote against 25 percent for his nearest challenger, conservative ex-President Joaquin Balaguer of the major opposition Reformist Party (PR). Troops were alerted to counter possible violence hetween supporters of rival political groups. Pre-election violence claimed the lives of at least nine persons.

Jorge Blanco, a 54-year-old lawyer, draws his support from students, white-collar workers and intelligentsia who see in him a new hope for a more efficient government to solve

1 hurt in Belfast blast BELFAST, May 16 (AP) - The wife of a former Northern Ireland police chief was

wounded Sunday in a wave of terrorist bomb attacks against police officers' homes, the Royal Ulster Constabulary (RUC) reported. A spokesman said that May Bradley,

whose husband Sam retired as assistant chief constable of the RUC in 1976, was badly cut when a booby-trap bomb exploded when she opened the front door of her south Belfast home to collect milk-

A spokesman said the small device had been wired to explode when she opened the door. Mrs. Bradley was rushed to hospital where her condition was reported to be "sati-

There was no immediate claim of responsibility for the attack by any of the province's guerrilla organizations. But police sources theorized it was the work of the provisional Irish Republican Army or its Marxist offshoot, the Irish National Liberation Army.

4die in air rally mishap

· TANGIERS, May 16 (AFP) - Four persons died when a French tourist plane taking part in the second international air rally here crashed near Tetouan in northern Morocco, sources here said. The cause of the accident, which occurred Saturday as the plane entered the rally, has not yet been determined.

Rally organizers said weather conditions were very good, and pilot Raymond Cosnier, who died in the crash, was an instructor with more than 7,000 flying hours to his credit.

ties, the reports said. away by floodwaters between Canton and Yingde last Wednesday. Train service bet-The Chinese Navy sent seven landing craft and rubber dinghies to Qingyuan and ween Canton and other parts of China bas Yingde, now completely submerged, in a joint rescue operation which successfully evacu-

been suspended since Thursday. The Chinese media made no mention of ated most marooned people, the reports said. damage in terms of money but radio broad-The Chinese Air Force flew 22 sorbes to casts gave staggering figures of housing damage. Some 56.000 houses, 31,000 in Syaoguan and another 25,000 in Yingde, had collapsed in the deluge while more were ruined by the massive flooding.

Canton authorities had installed emergency microwave telecommunications to link the provincial capital with Hankow, Shaoguan, Yingde and Qingyuan for floodfighting purposes, the radio said.

Disrupted highways and railways made a nightmare of postal service so that tons of mail had piled up in the past week. Canton authorities mobilized additional vehicles for delivery to the rural areas and sent most surace mail outside the province by air. broadcast said.

Soviets rule out flights to Mars

MOSCOW, May 16 (R) - The Soviet Union has no plans for manned space flights to planets like Mars and will concentrate iostead on developing its orbiting research stations, a leader of the space program said Sunday. Professor Konstantin Feoktistov said in an

interview with the newspaper Pravda that manned missions to neighbors like Mars would be pointless unless some evidence had been found of basic forms of life on the sur-Moscow preferred to invest in stations like

the Salyut series, the contemplece of its current program, because they brought the most tangible results, the spacecraft designer said.

In the future the Soviet Union hoped to have giant radio-telescopes operating on its space stations as well as workshops producing marerials in a pure and gravity-free atmos

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